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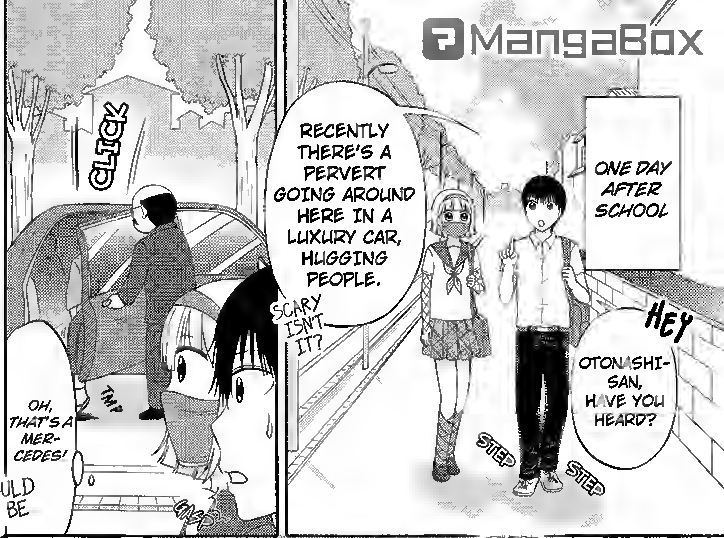

HIGH SCHOOL NINJA GIRL OTONASHI-SAN

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EPISODE 51 : THE THIRD NINJA

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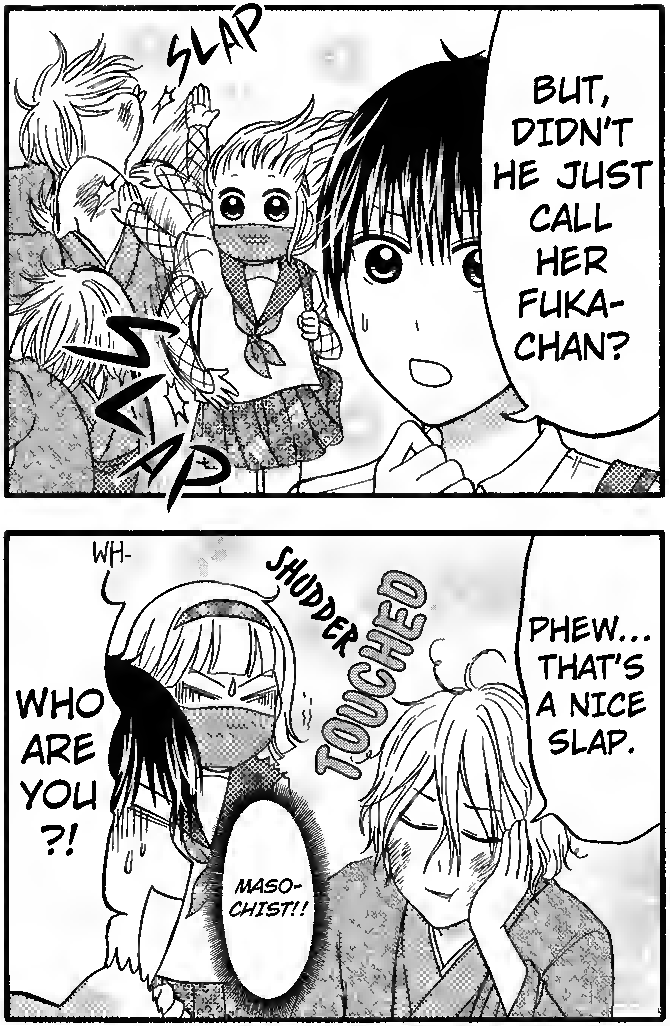

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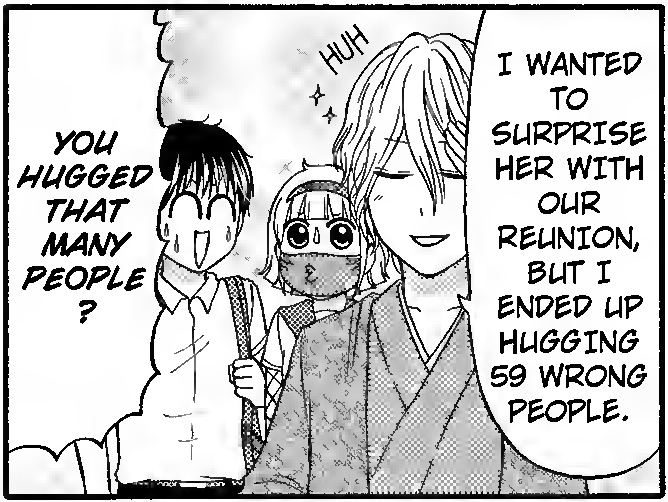
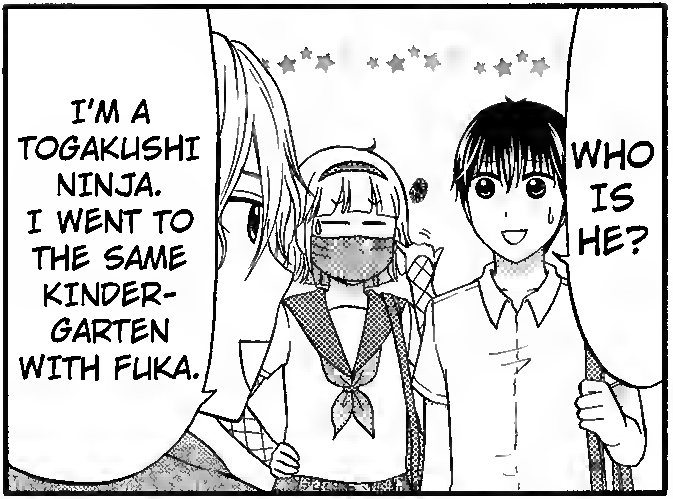
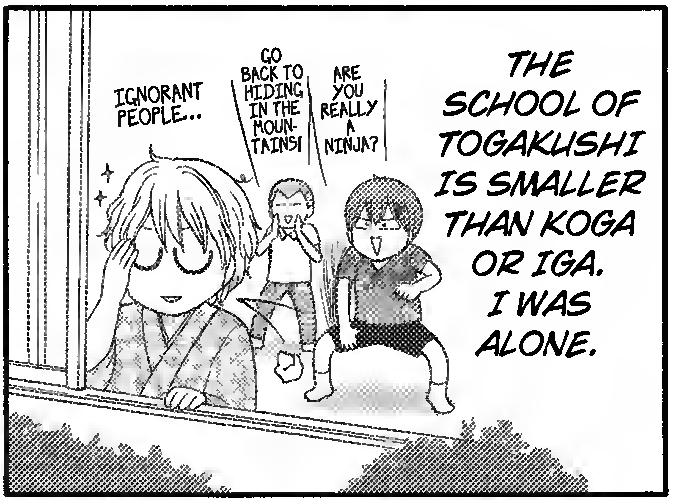
I'M FUKA'S FIANCE !!
DUUN
I'M KAEDE TOGAWA.
FIANCE ?!

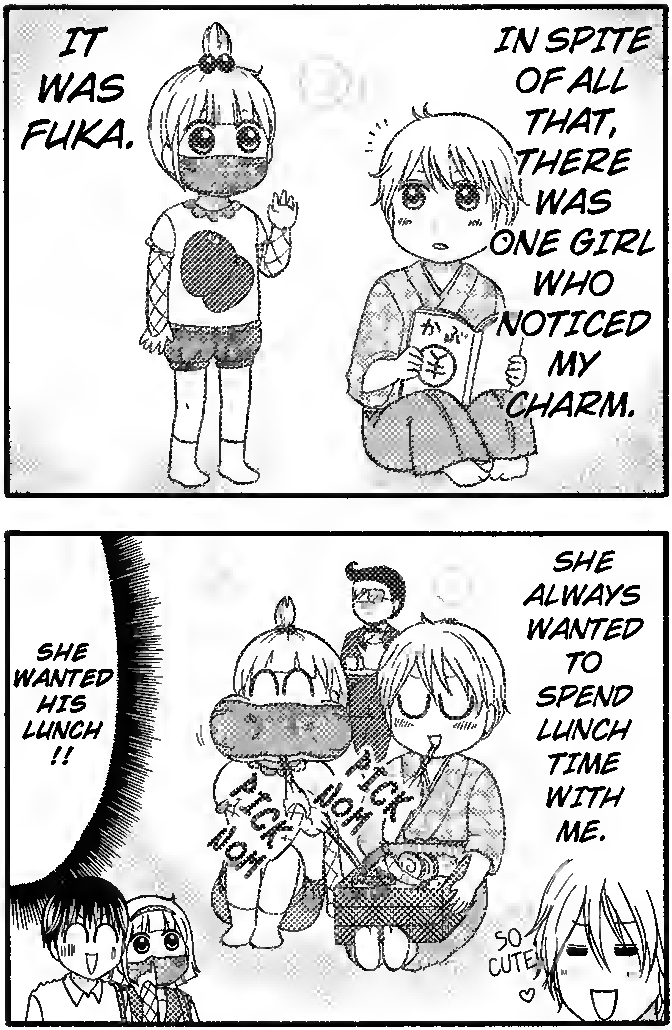

HUH
I WANTED TO SURPRISE HER WITH OUR REUNION, BUT I ENDED UP HUGGING 59 WRONG PEOPLE.
YOU HUGGED THAT MANY PEOPLE ?

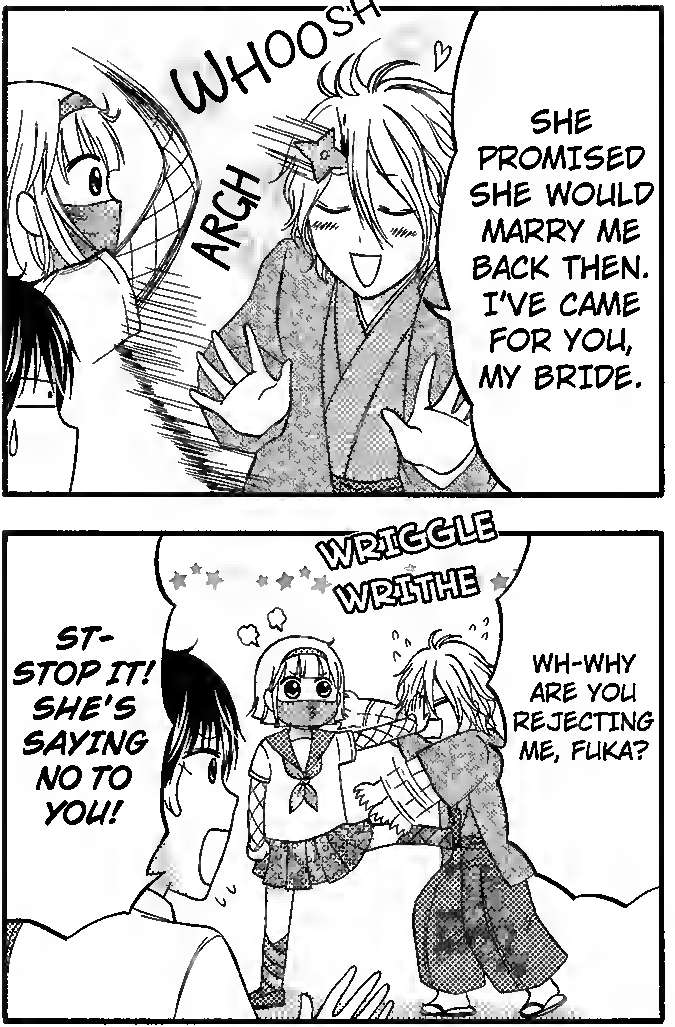
WHO IS THIS GUY?

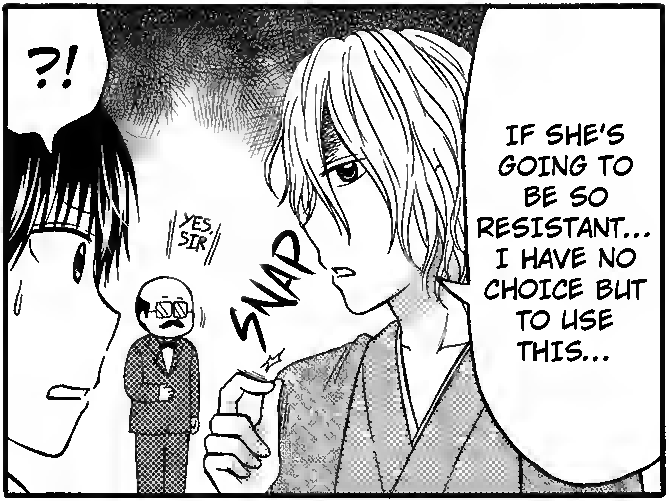


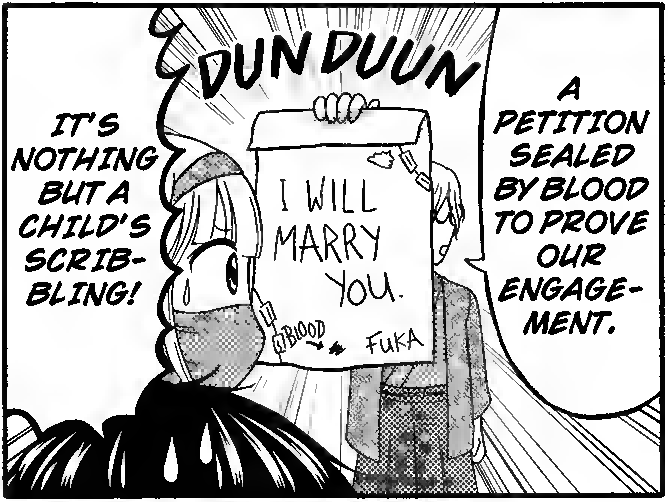

IGNORANT PEOPLE...
GO BACK TO HIDING IN THE MOUNTAINS!
ARE YOU REALLY A NINJA?
THE SCHOOL OF TOGAKUSHI IS SMALLER THAN KOGA OR IGA. I WAS ALONE.

*TOGAKUSHI: A NINJA STYLE, LIKE KOGA OR IGA
*ORIGINAL SCRIPT IS TO HIDE BEHIND THE DOOR ="TO" (GAKUSHI)

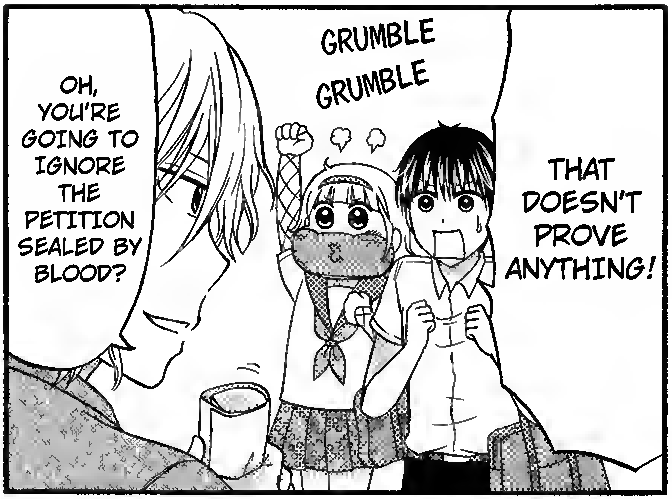

IT WAS FUKA.
IN SPITE OF ALL THAT, THERE WAS ONE GIRL WHO NOTICED MY CHARM.
SHE WANTED HIS LUNCH !!
PICK-NOM
PICK-NOM
SHE ALWAYS WANTED TO SPEND LUNCH TIME WITH ME.
SO CUTE♡

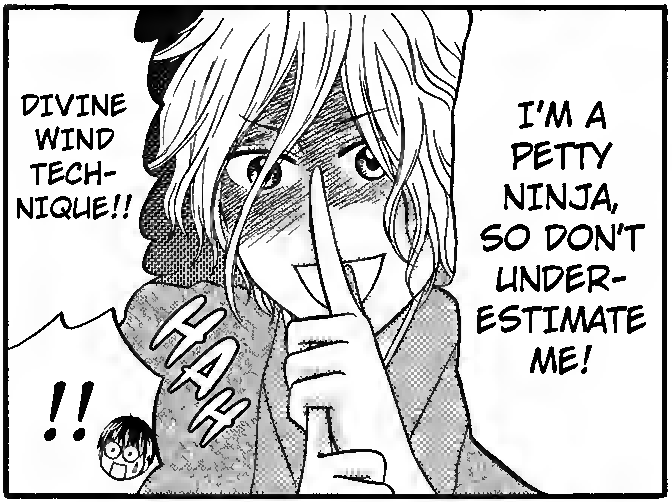

THAT'S WHY
WHOOSH
ARGH
SHE PROMISED SHE WOULD MARRY ME BACK THEN. I'VE CAME FOR YOU, MY BRIDE.
WRIGGLE
WRITHE
ST-STOP IT! SHE'S SAYING NO TO YOU!
WH-WHY ARE YOU REJECTING ME, FUKA?

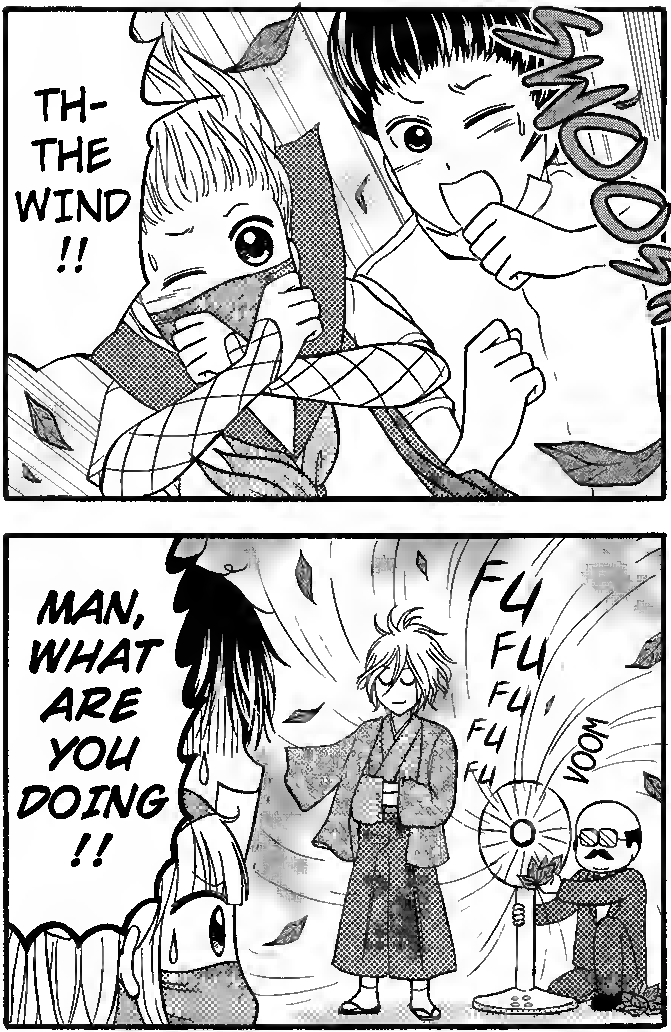

?!
YES, SIR
SNAP
IF SHE'S GOING TO BE SO RESISTANT... I HAVE NO CHOICE BUT TO USE THIS...


DUN DUUN
I WILL MARRY YOU.
@BLOOD
FUKA
IT'S NOTHING BUT A CHILD'S SCRIB-BLING!
A PETITION SEALED BY BLOOD TO PROVE OUR ENGAGE-MENT.

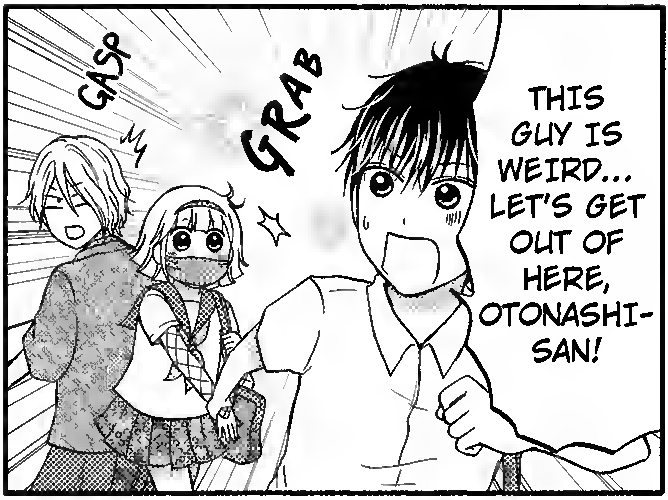
THAT'S WHY

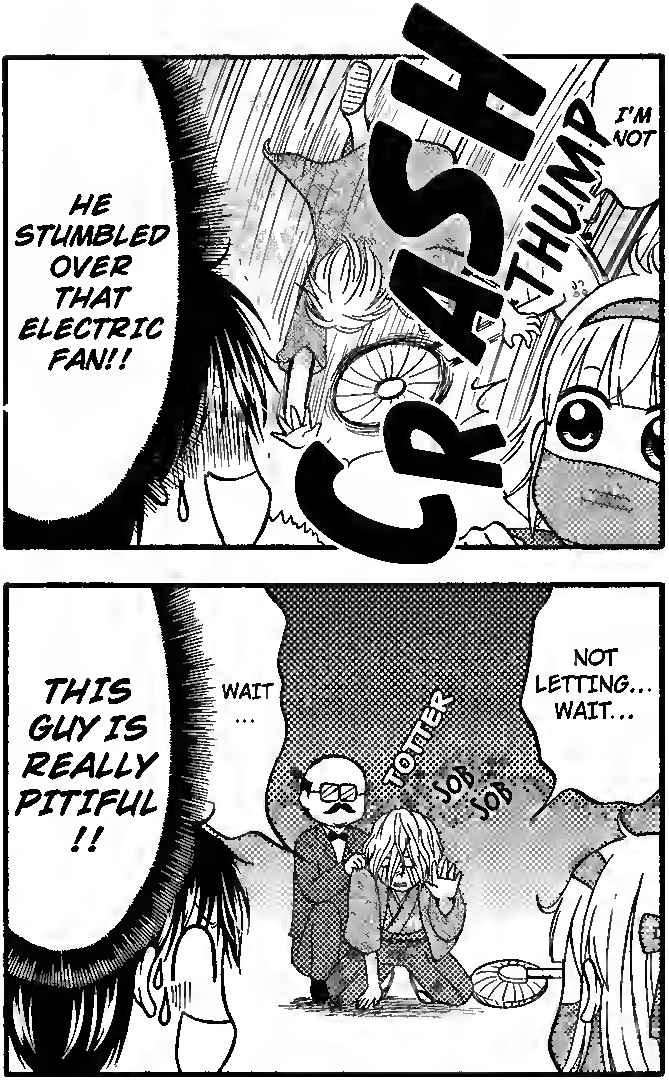

OH, YOU'RE GOING TO IGNORE THE PETITION SEALED BY BLOOD?
GRUMBLE GRUMBLE
THAT DOESN'T PROVE ANYTHING!


DIVINE WIND TECH-NIQUE!!
HAH
!!
I'M A PETTY NINJA, SO DON'T UNDER-ESTIMATE ME!

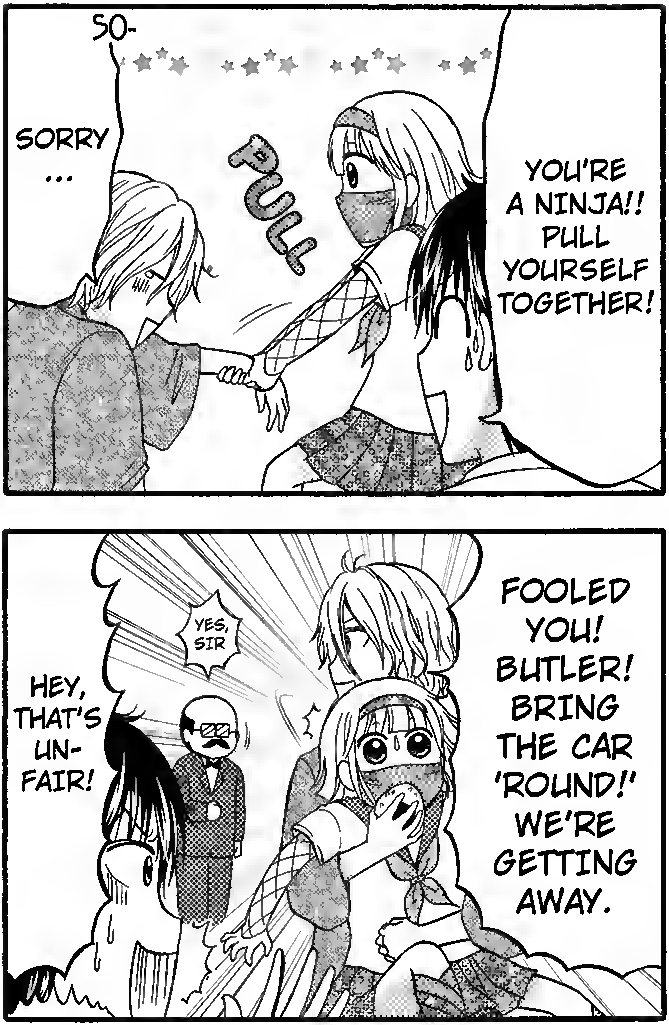

TH-
THE
WIND
!!
WHOOSH
MAN,
WHAT
ARE
YOU
DOING
!!
FU
FU
FU
FU
FU
VOOM

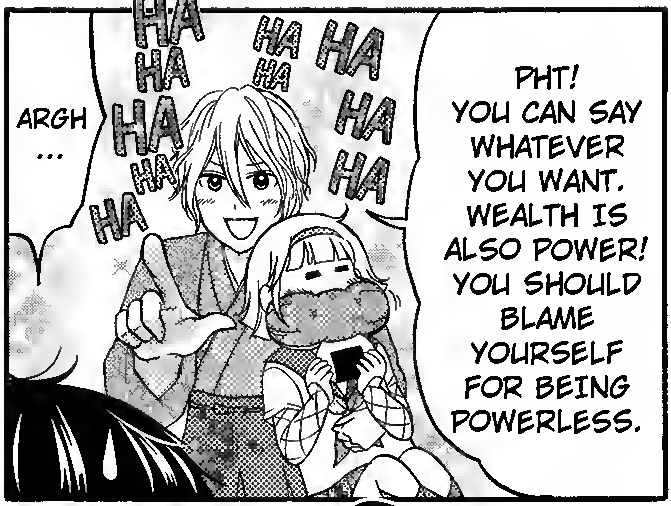
THIS GUY IS HOPELESS.

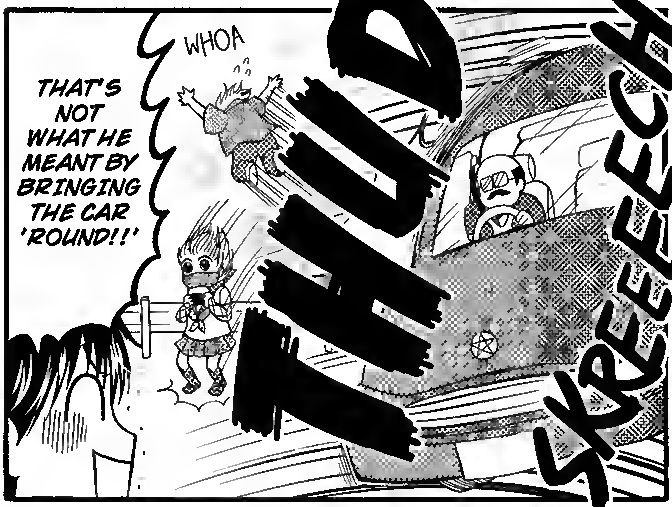



CRASH
THUMP
I'M NOT
HE STUMBLED OVER THAT ELECTRIC FAN!!
NOT LETTING... WAIT...
TOTTER
JOR JOR
WAIT ...
THIS GUY IS REALLY PITIFUL !!

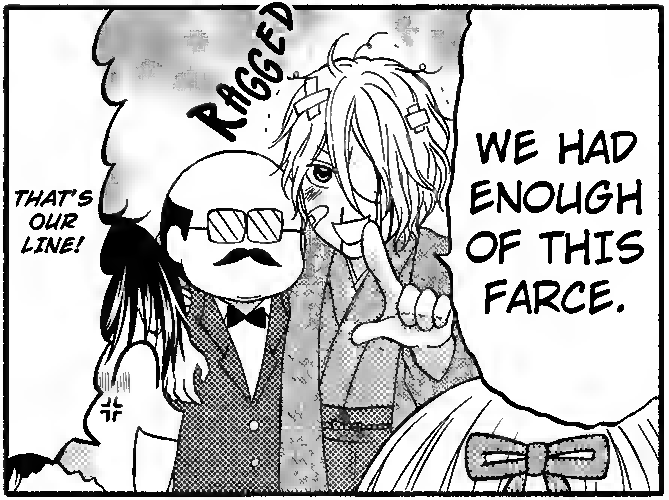
BUTLER TAG TEAM

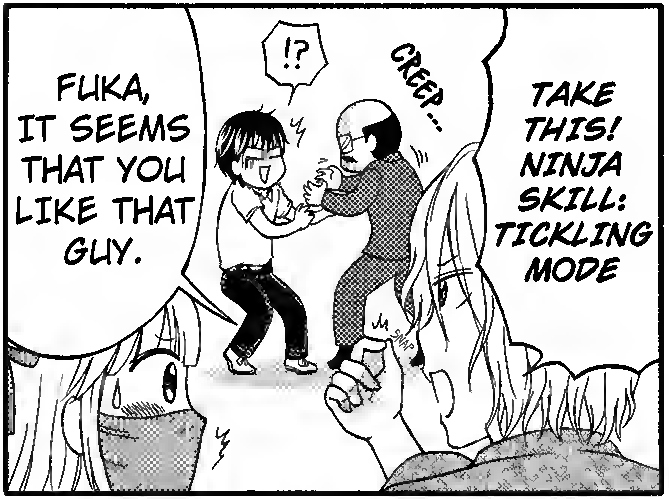



ARGH ...
HA HA HA HA HA HA HA HA HA HA
PHT! YOU CAN SAY WHATEVER YOU WANT. WEALTH IS ALSO POWER! YOU SHOULD BLAME YOURSELF FOR BEING POWERLESS.


THAT'S NOT WHAT HE MEANT BY BRINGING THE CAR 'ROUND!!'
WHOA
THUD
SKREEECH

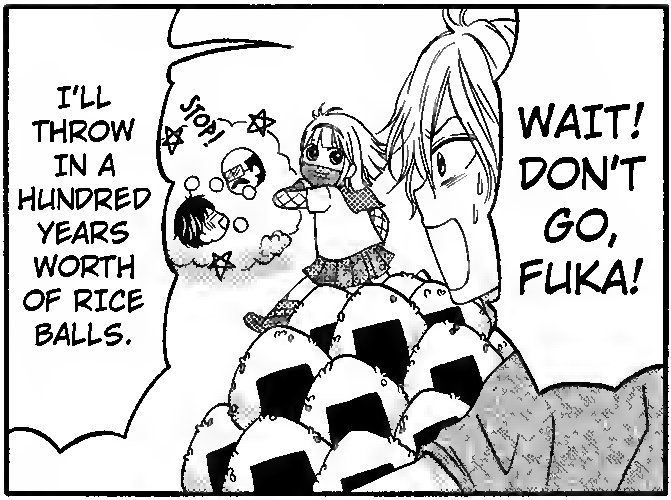
SHOWDOWN

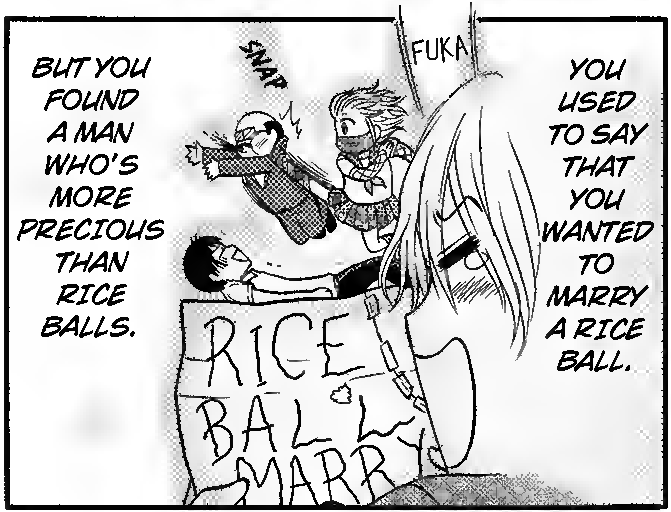

RAGGED
WE HAD ENOUGH OF THIS FARCE.
THAT'S OUR LINE!

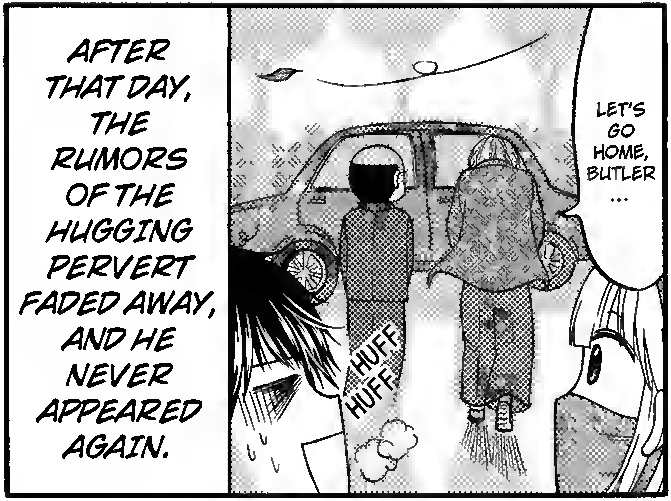

!?
CREEP...
TAKE THIS! NINJA SKILL: TICKLING MODE
FUKA, IT SEEMS THAT YOU LIKE THAT GUY.

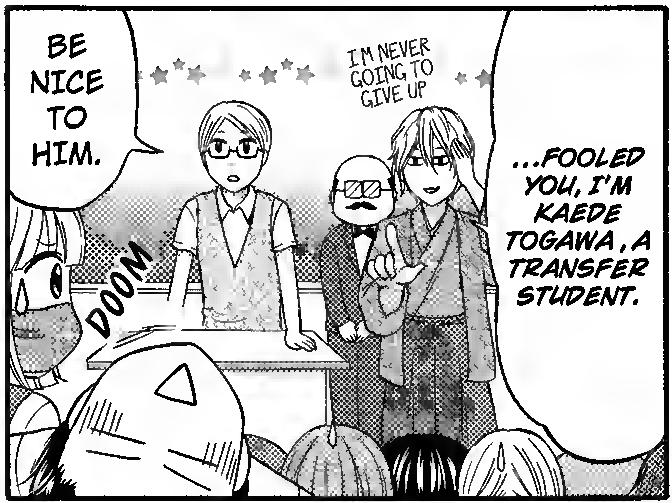
LOOK AT HIS LOWBROW SMILE! I'M BETTER LOOKING THAN HIM.
MWA HA HA
TICKLE TICKLE
WHAT A LOWBROW SKILL!
BUT YOU STILL LOVE HIM, YOU SAY?!
DUUN
MWA HA HA
STOP!
I CAN'T TAKE IT!
TICKLE TICKLE
SHOCK
SHE SAID IT CLEARLY BECAUSE HE DIDN'T HEAR HER

TOGAWA IS REJECTED?




BUT YOU FOUND A MAN WHO'S MORE PRECIOUS THAN RICE BALLS.
SNAP
FUKA
YOU USED TO SAY THAT YOU WANTED TO MARRY A RICE BALL.
RICE BALL MARRY


AFTER THAT DAY, THE RUMORS OF THE HUGGING PERVERT FADED AWAY, AND HE NEVER APPEARED AGAIN.
LET'S GO HOME, BUTLER ...
HUFF HUFF


BE NICE TO HIM.
I'M NEVER GOING TO GIVE UP
...FOOLED YOU, I'M KAEDE TOGAWA, A TRANSFER STUDENT.
DOOM

MangaBox

...FJJT
OTONASHI-SAN'S SLEEPING.
CHUCKLE
FJJT
MATH II
HM?
DURING MATH CLASS
NOW IF YOU INPUT THE FORMULA HERE...
AH, AAA-AH!!!
IS THAT...
OTONASHI-SAN'S MOM?!
HIGH SCHOOL NINJA GIRL
OTONASHI-SAN
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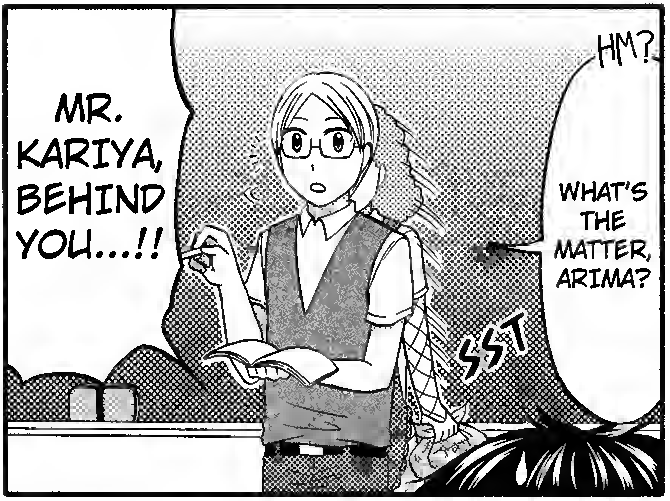
THE KUNOICHI MOTHER AND DAUGHTER

KARIYA, BEHIND YOU!



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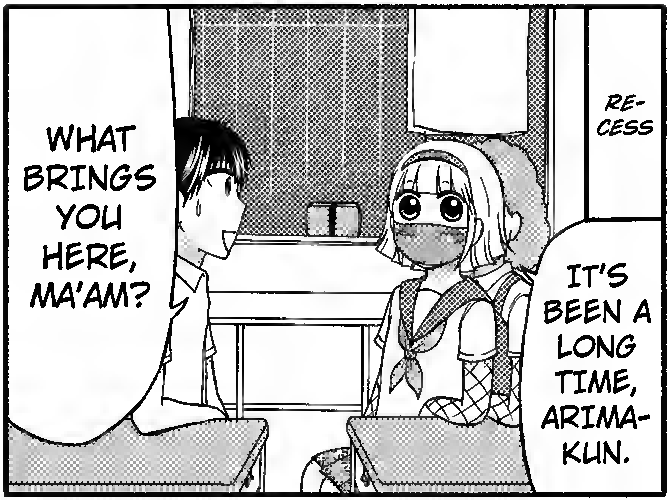
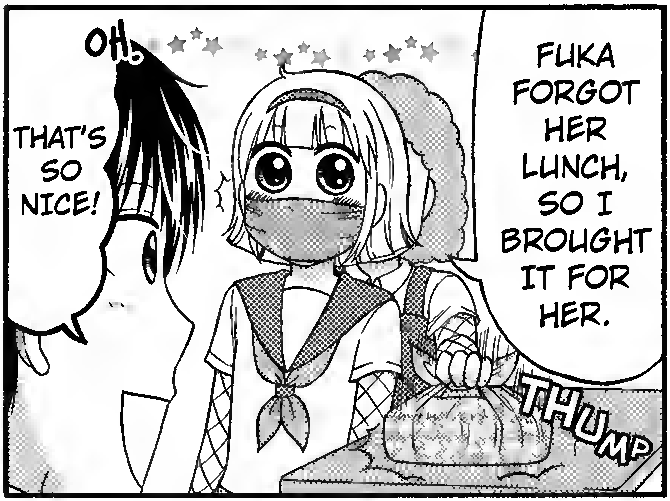
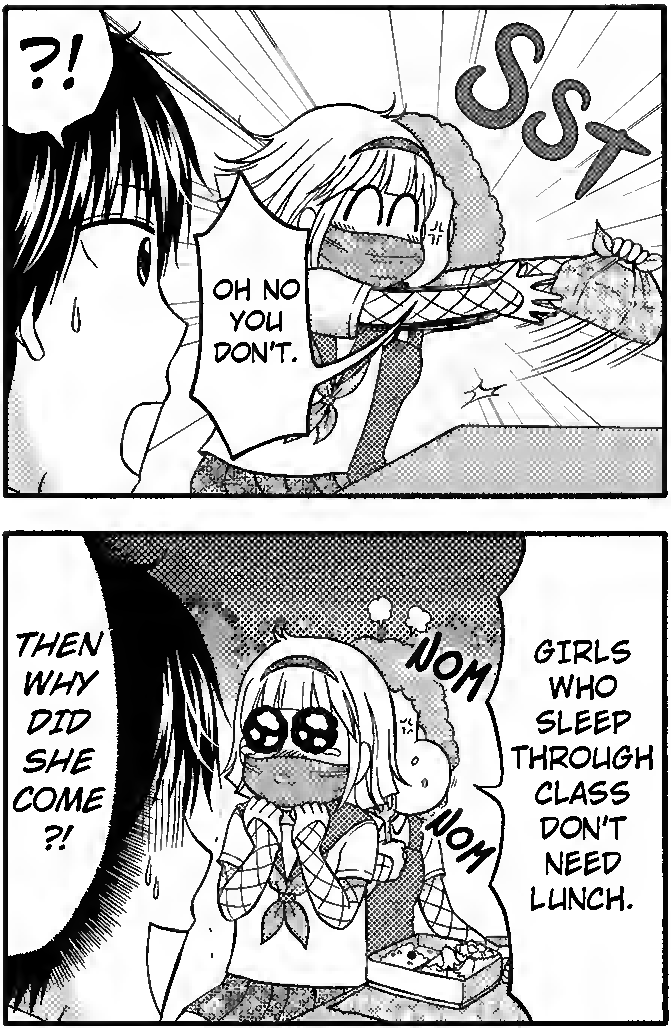
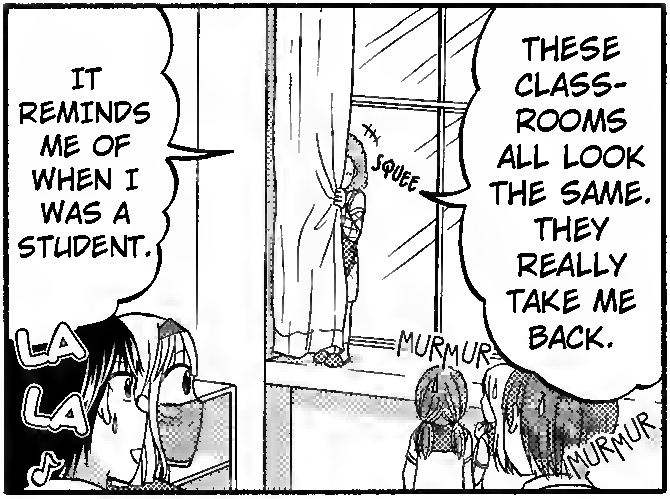
WHY ARE YOU HERE?

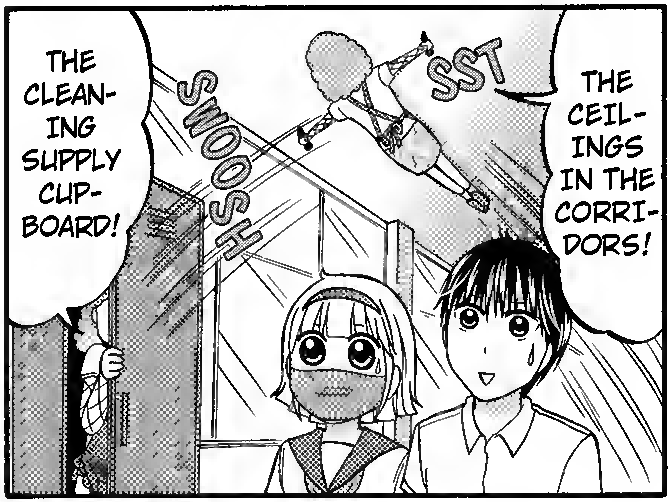


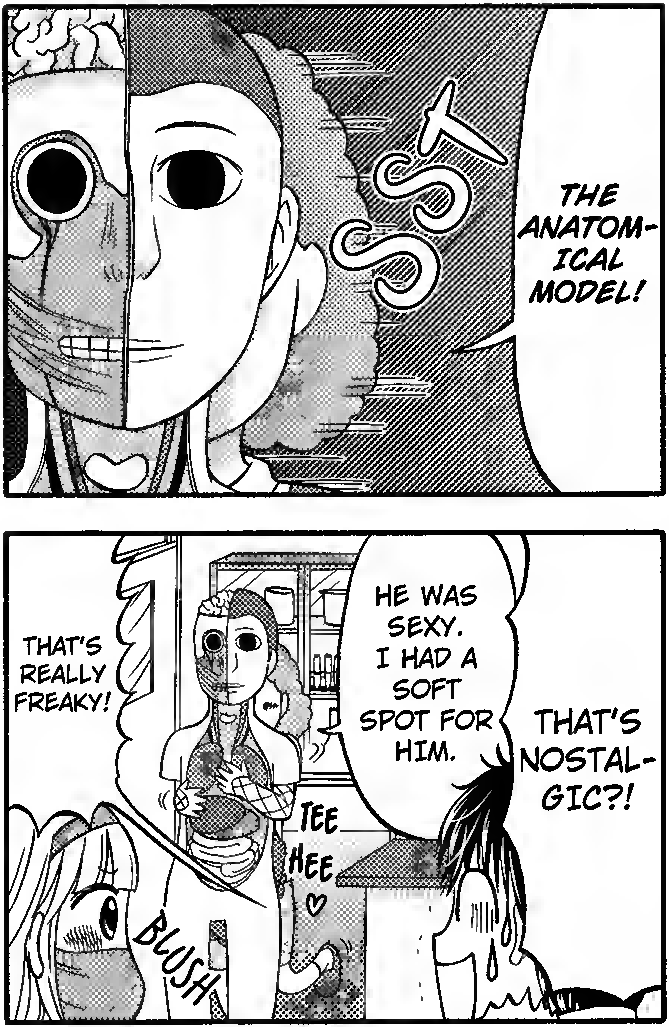



?!
SST
OH NO YOU DON'T.
GIRLS WHO SLEEP THROUGH CLASS DON'T NEED LUNCH.
NOM
NOM
THEN WHY DID SHE COME ?!

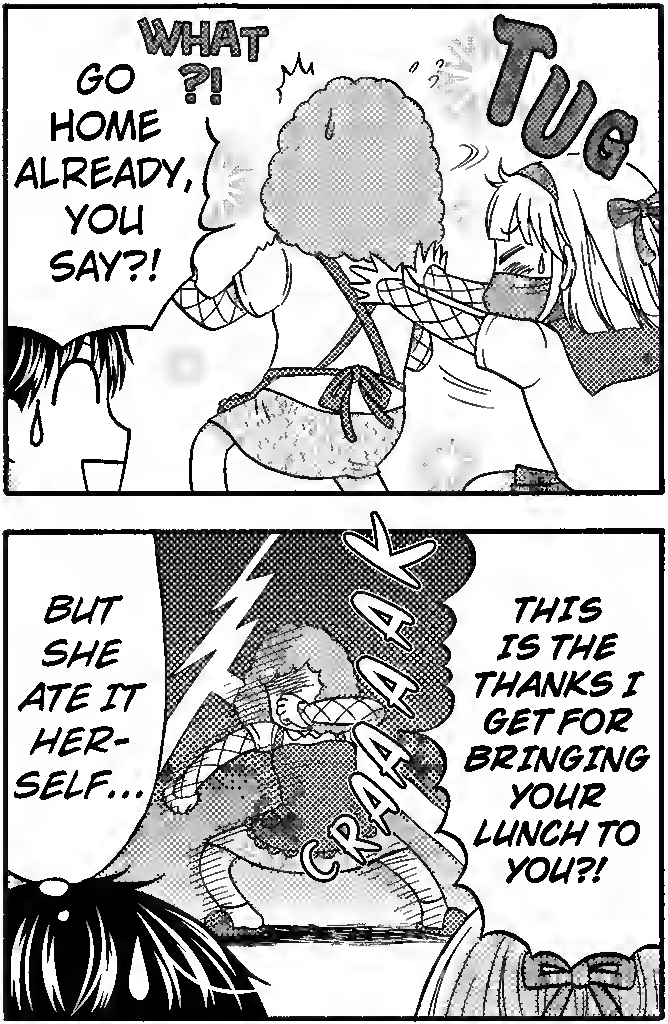
BACK IN THE DAY





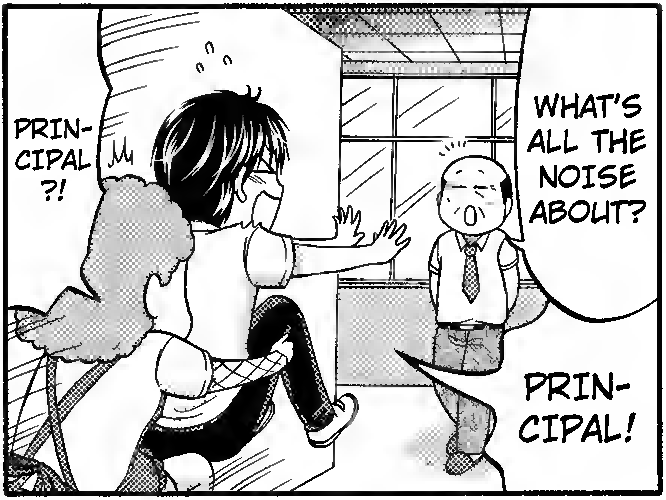

SST
THE ANATOMICAL MODEL!
THAT'S NOSTALGIC?!
HE WAS SEXY. I HAD A SOFT SPOT FOR HIM.
TEE HEE ♡
THAT'S REALLY FREAKY!
BLUSH

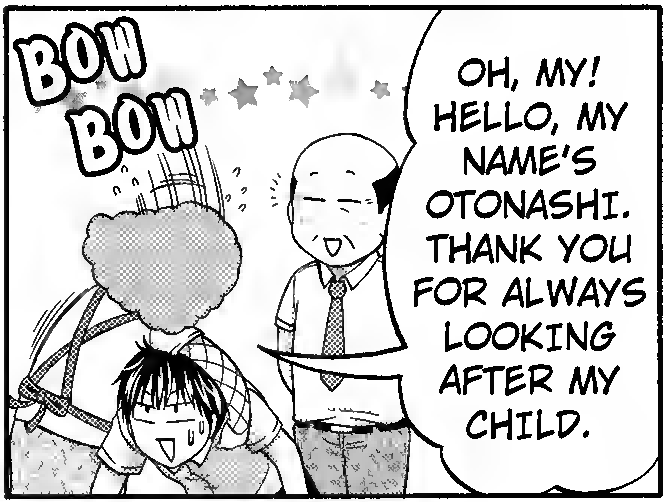
ACQUAINTANCE

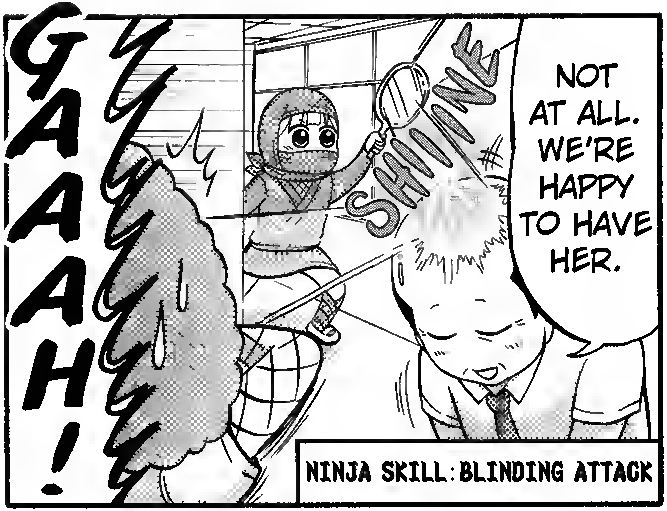


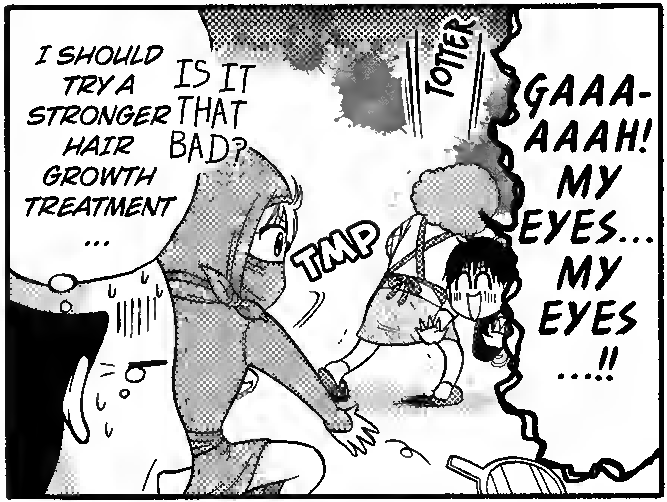
WHAAAT?!
NOOH
GRAB
THAT'S IT! I'M STEALING ARIMA-KUN AND TELLING HIM ALL YOUR EMBARR-ASSING STORIES!!
I'M THE ONE GETTING EMBARR-ASSED HERE!!
OMG THAT IS AMAZING!
LOOK AT THAT!
THUD
THUD
THUD
THUD
THUD

GREETINGS

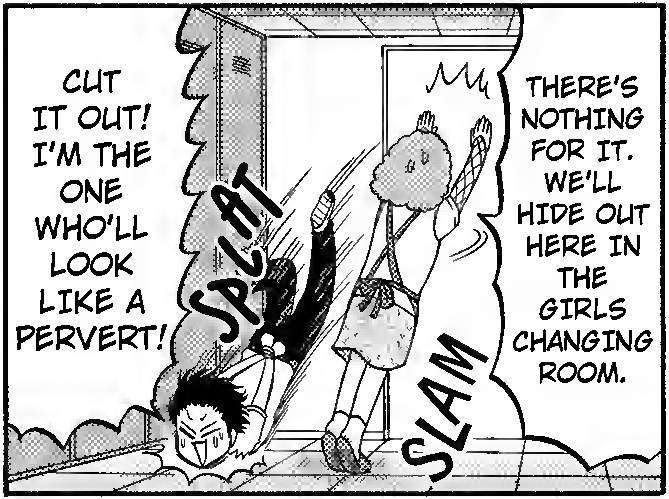

PRIN-
CIPAL
?!
WHAT'S ALL THE NOISE ABOUT?
PRIN-
CIPAL!

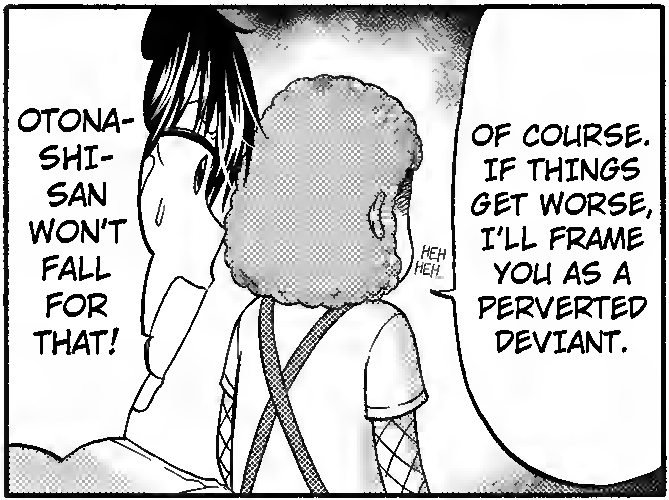

BOW
BOW
OH, MY! HELLO, MY NAME'S OTONASHI. THANK YOU FOR ALWAYS LOOKING AFTER MY CHILD.


GAAAAH!
SHINE
NOT AT ALL. WE'RE HAPPY TO HAVE HER.
NINJA SKILL: BLINDING ATTACK


I SHOULD TRY A STRONGER HAIR GROWTH TREATMENT ...
IS IT THAT BAD?
TOTTER
TMP
GAAA-AAAH! MY EYES... MY EYES ...!!

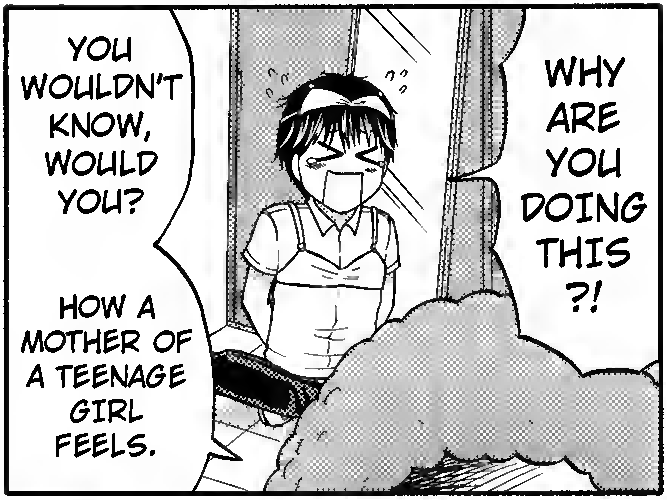
FALLOUT BOY

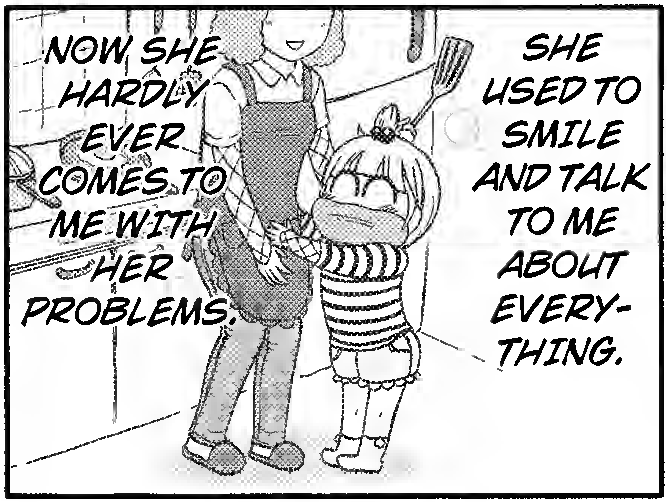

CUT IT OUT! I'M THE ONE WHO'LL LOOK LIKE A PERVERT!
SPLAT
SLAM
THERE'S NOTHING FOR IT. WE'LL HIDE OUT HERE IN THE GIRLS CHANGING ROOM.

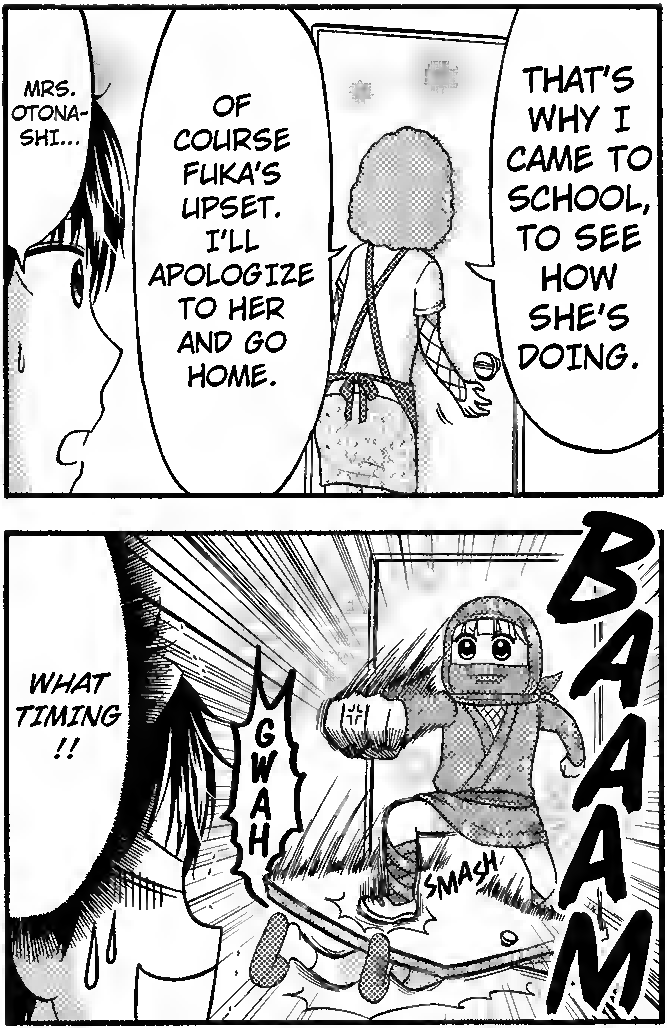

OTONA-SHI-SAN WON'T FALL FOR THAT!
HEH HEH.
OF COURSE. IF THINGS GET WORSE, I'LL FRAME YOU AS A PERVERTED DEVIANT.

WHAT ?!
LOOK AT YOURSELF, DEAR. CAN YOU SAY THAT WITH CONVIC-TION?
I'M A PERVERT
SHE'LL TOTALLY THINK
WHEN DID SHE ...?

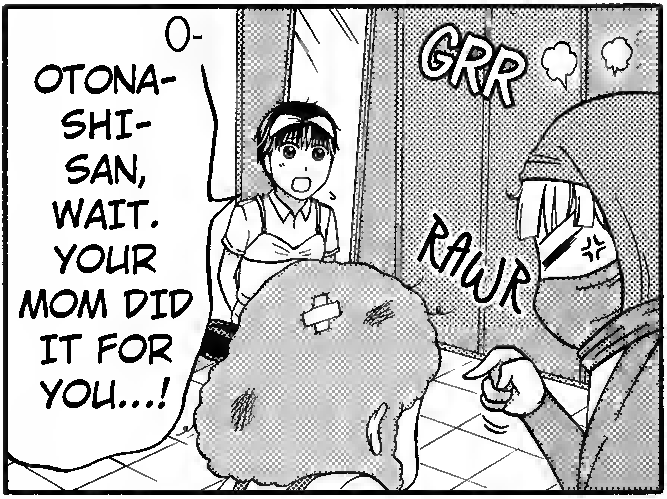
A MOTHER'S HEART

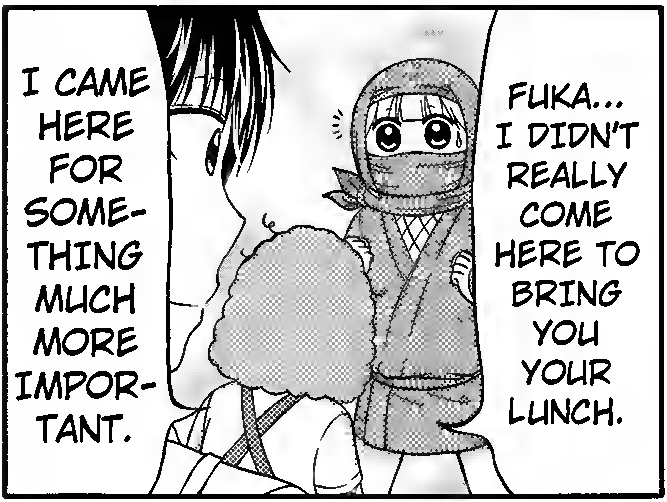


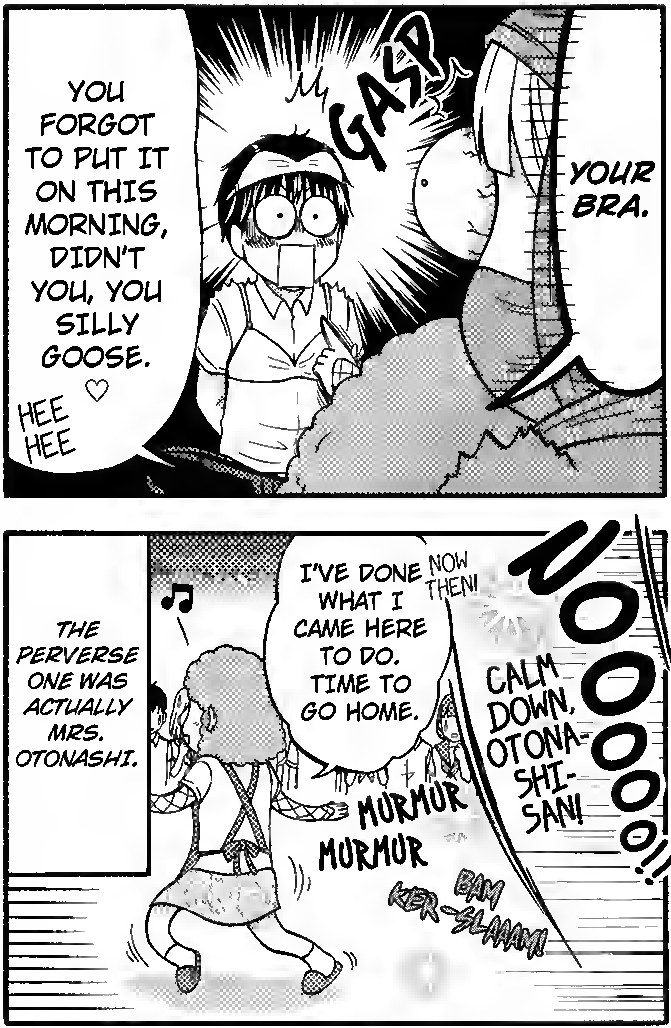



MRS. OTONA-SHI...
OF COURSE FUKA'S UPSET. I'LL APOLOGIZE TO HER AND GO HOME.
THAT'S WHY I CAME TO SCHOOL, TO SEE HOW SHE'S DOING.
WHAT TIMING !!
GWAH
SMASH
BAAAM

THE REAL REASON






GASP
YOUR BRA.
YOU FORGOT TO PUT IT ON THIS MORNING, DIDN'T YOU, YOU SILLY GOOSE. ♡
HEE HEE
NOOOO!!
CALM DOWN, OTONA-SHI-SAN!
NOW THEN!
I'VE DONE WHAT I CAME HERE TO DO. TIME TO GO HOME.
MURMUR MURMUR
BAM KER-SLAAAM!
THE PERVERSE ONE WAS ACTUALLY MRS. OTONASHI.

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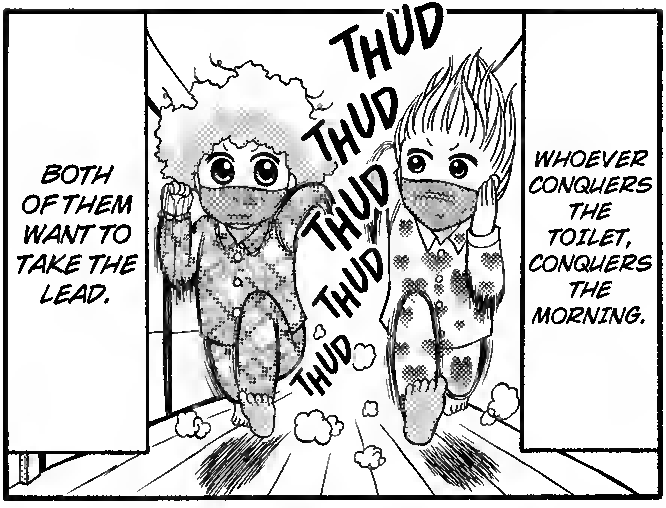
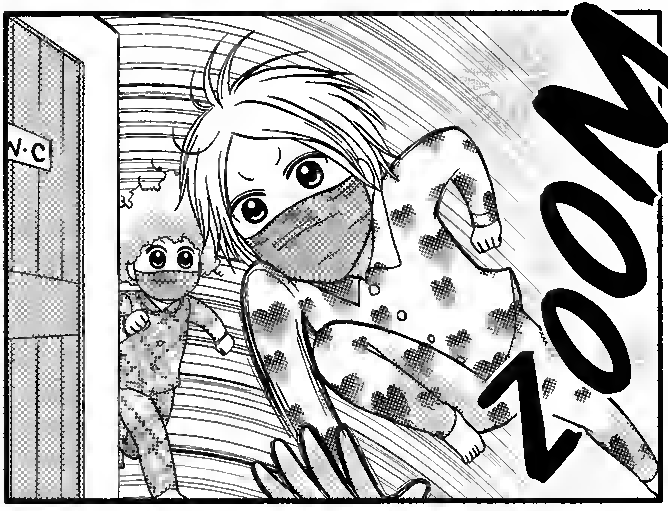
EPISODE 53
THE OTONASHIS' MORNING

FIRST THE TOILET





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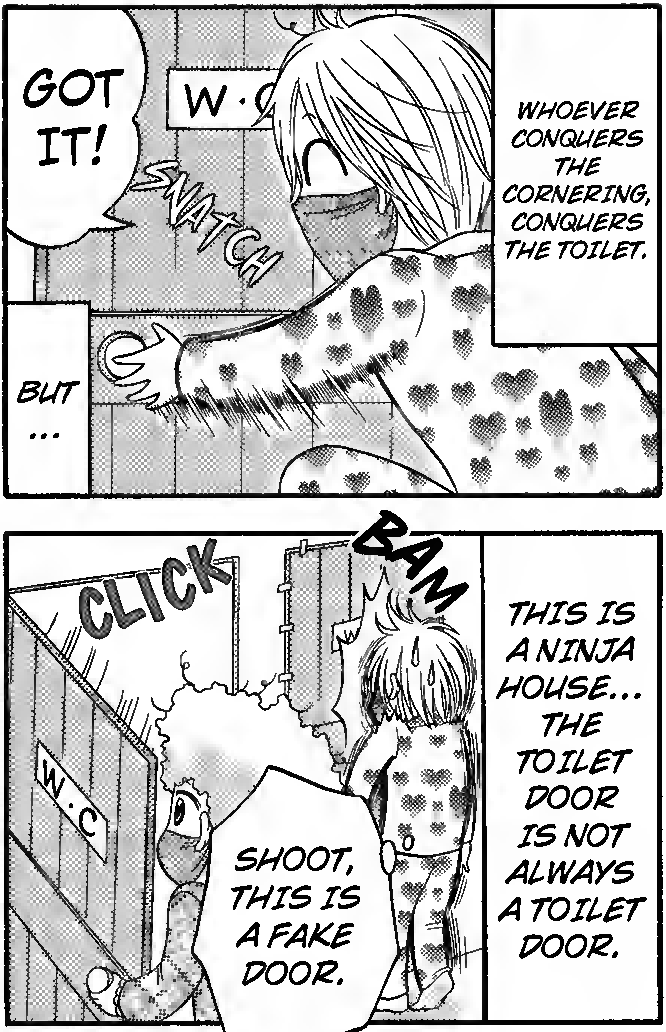
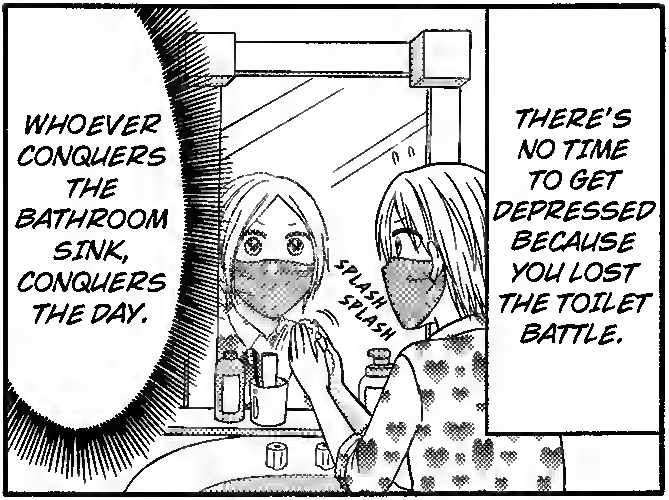
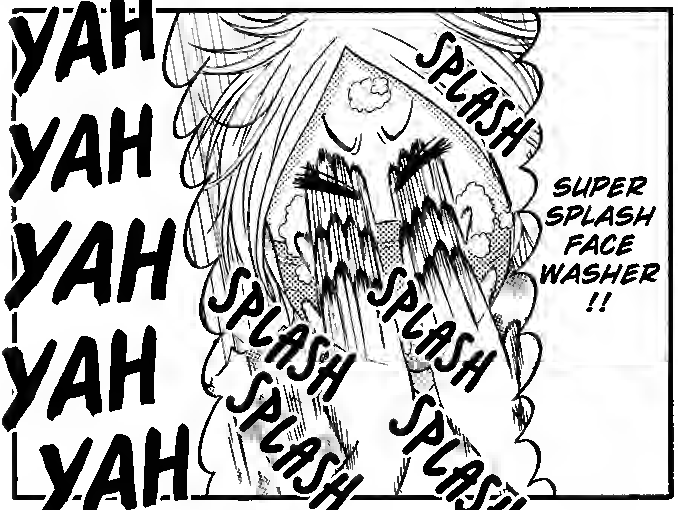


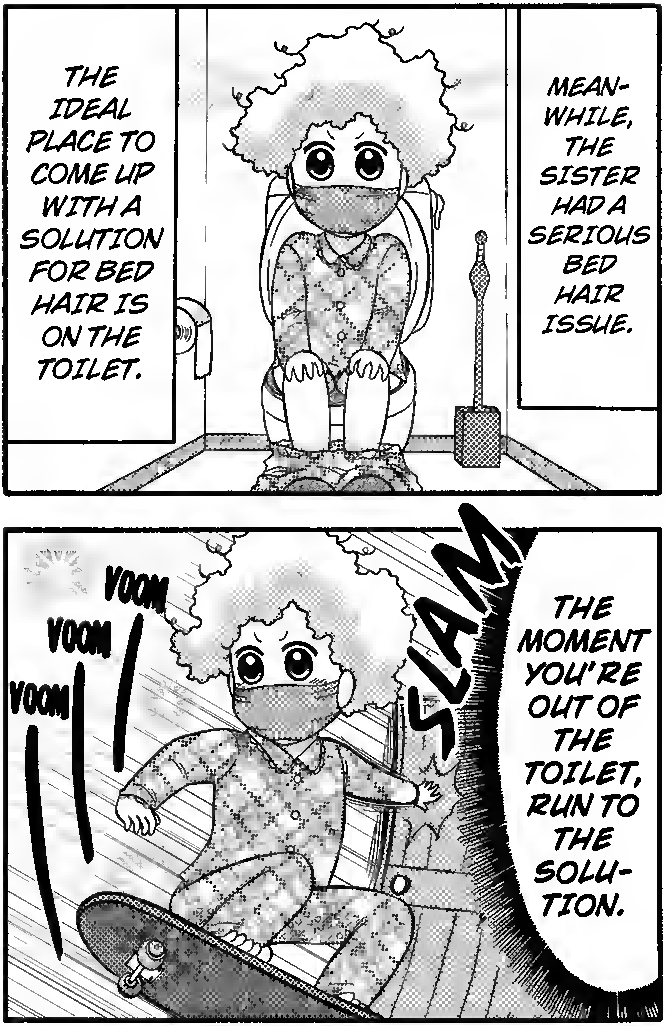
NEXT, WASHING THE FACE

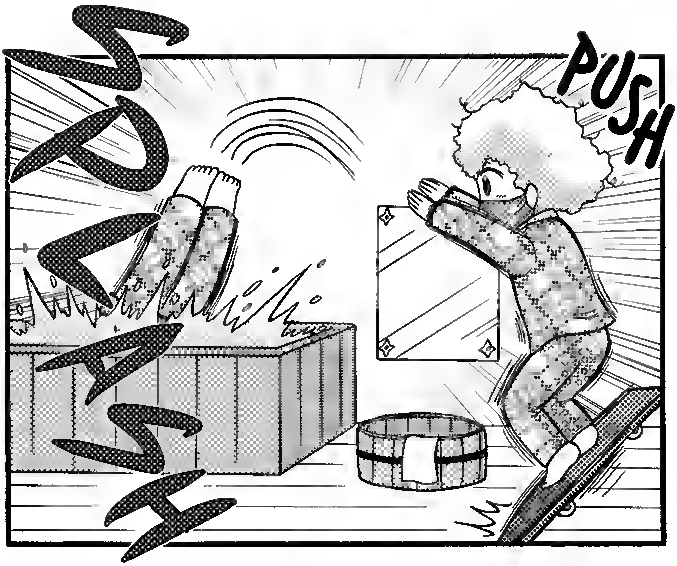

WHOEVER CONQUERS THE BATHROOM SINK, CONQUERS THE DAY.
SPLASH SPLASH
THERE'S NO TIME TO GET DEPRESSED BECAUSE YOU LOST THE TOILET BATTLE.

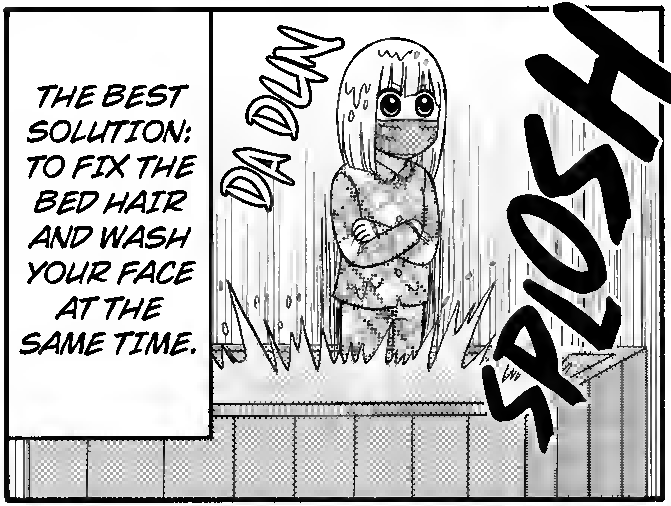


HUH ?!
PLUNGE
GUSH
WAHHHH
THE PAINFUL LESSON HERE? "HASTE MAKES WASTE."
(WRITER'S COMMENT)

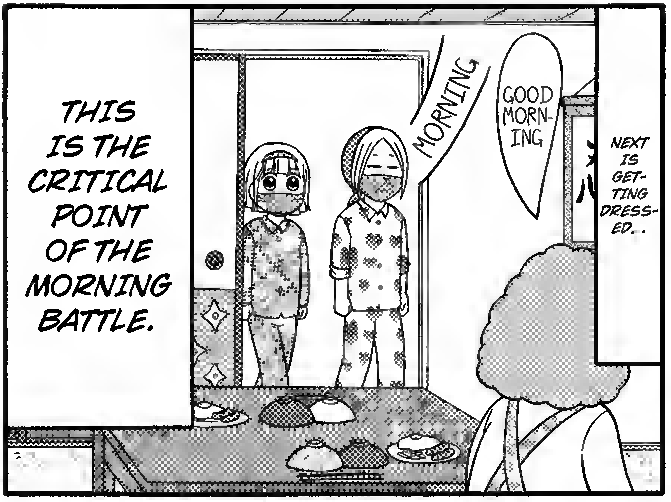
THE BED HAIR ISSUE

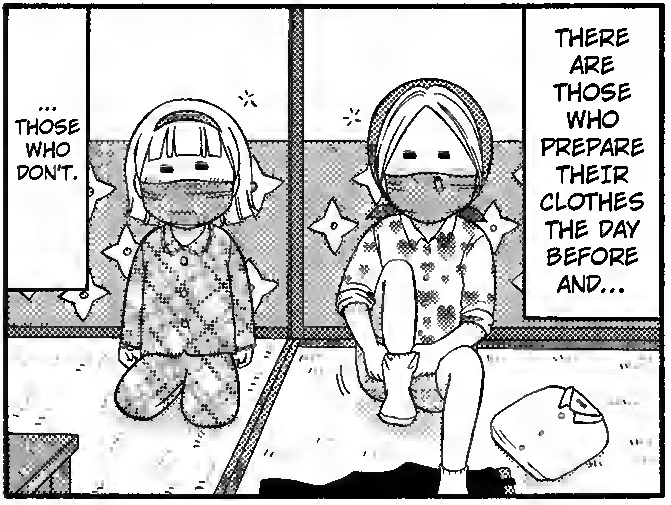

THE IDEAL PLACE TO COME UP WITH A SOLUTION FOR BED HAIR IS ON THE TOILET.
MEAN-WHILE, THE SISTER HAD A SERIOUS BED HAIR ISSUE.
VOOM
VOOM
VOOM
SLAM
THE MOMENT YOU'RE OUT OF THE TOILET, RUN TO THE SOLU-TION.

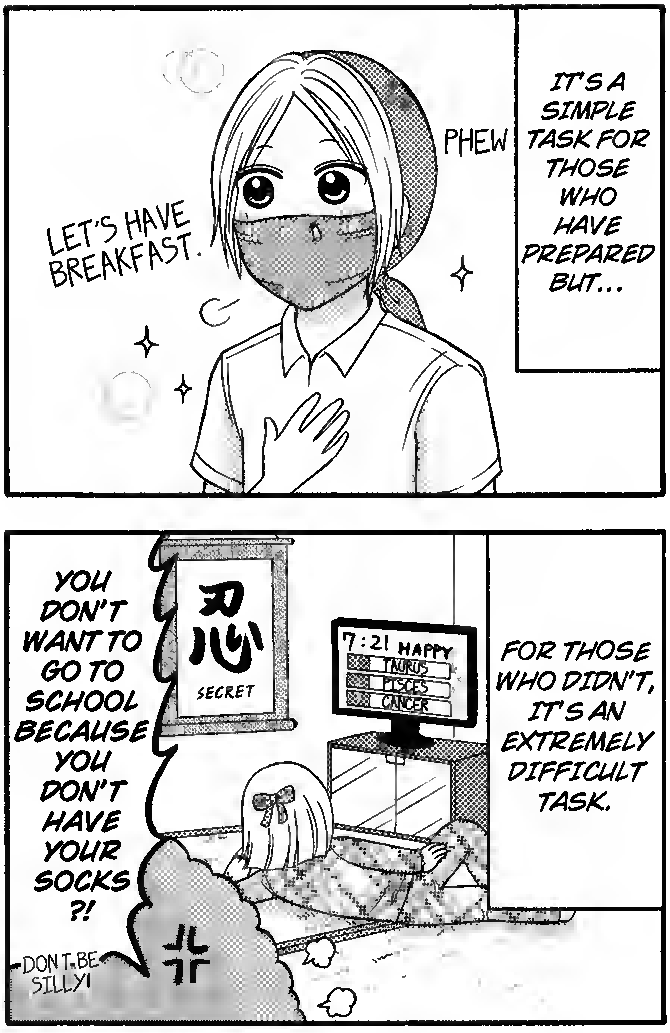

PUSH
SLIDE


THE BEST SOLUTION: TO FIX THE BED HAIR AND WASH YOUR FACE AT THE SAME TIME.
DA DUN
SPLOSH

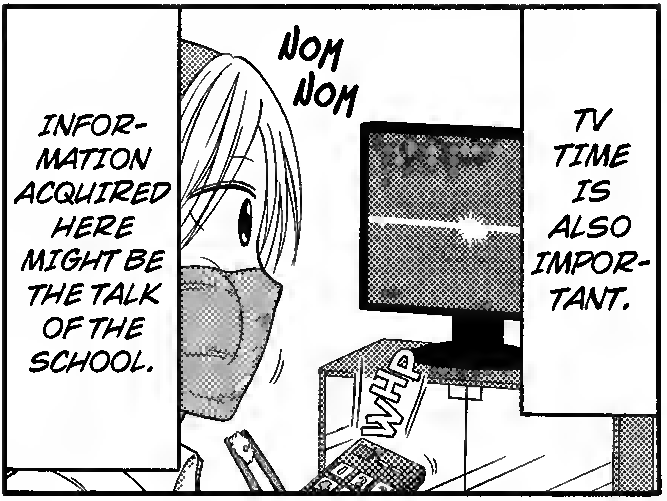
THE TURNING POINT

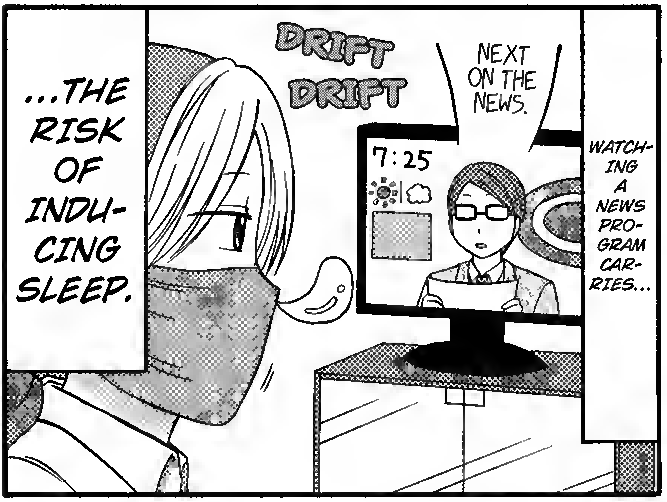


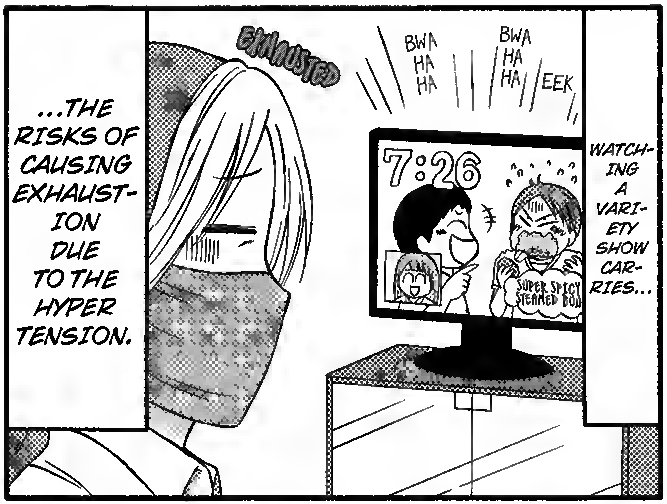


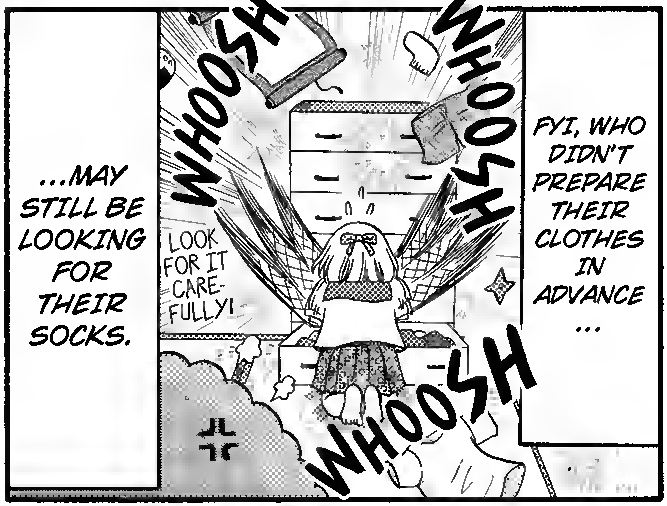

LET'S HAVE BREAKFAST.
PHEW
IT'S A SIMPLE TASK FOR THOSE WHO HAVE PREPARED BUT...
SECRET
7:21 HAPPY
TAURUS
PISCES
CANCER
FOR THOSE WHO DIDN'T, IT'S AN EXTREMELY DIFFICULT TASK.
YOU DON'T WANT TO GO TO SCHOOL BECAUSE YOU DON'T HAVE YOUR SOCKS ?!
DON'T BE SILLY!

RISKS

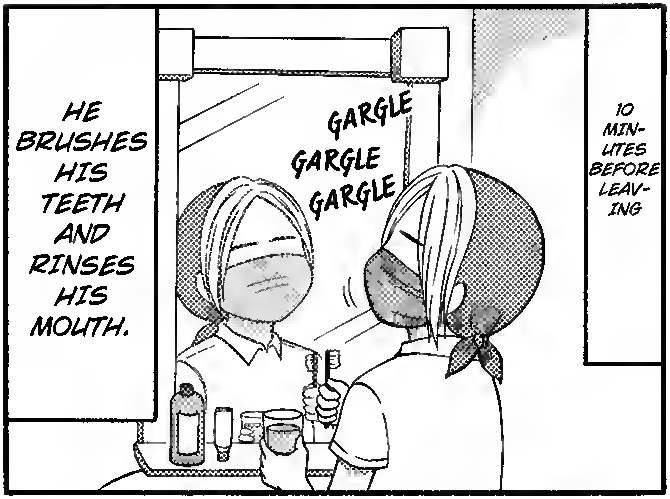

INFORMATION ACQUIRED HERE MIGHT BE THE TALK OF THE SCHOOL.
NOM NOM
WHP
TV TIME IS ALSO IMPORTANT.

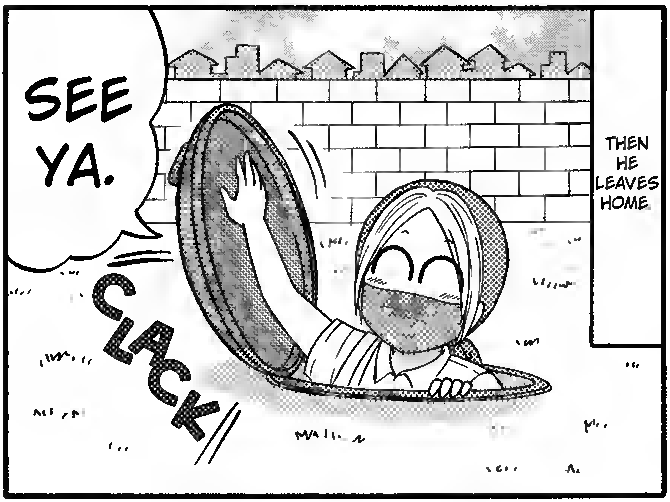

...THE RISK OF INDUCING SLEEP.
DRIFT DRIFT
NEXT ON THE NEWS.
7:25
WATCHING A NEWS PROGRAM CARRIES...

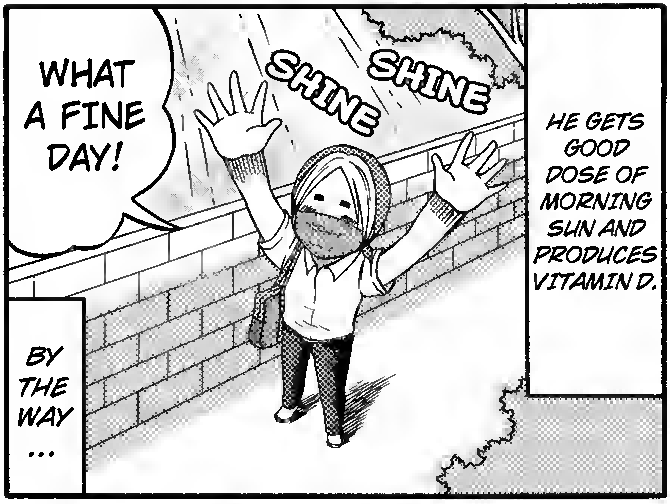

...THE RISKS OF CAUSING EXHAUST-ION DUE TO THE HYPER TENSION.
EXHAUSTED
BWA HA HA
BWA HA HA
EEK
7:26
SUPER SPICY STEAMED BUN
WATCH-ING A VARI-ETY SHOW CAR-RIES...

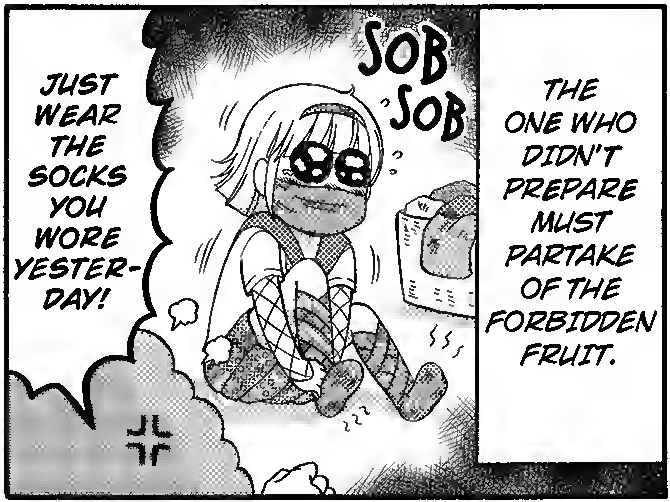

...MAY STILL BE LOOKING FOR THEIR SOCKS.
WHOOSH
WHOOSH
WHOOSH
LOOK FOR IT CARE-FULLY!
FYI, WHO DIDN'T PREPARE THEIR CLOTHES IN ADVANCE ...

TIME TO GO TO SCHOOL

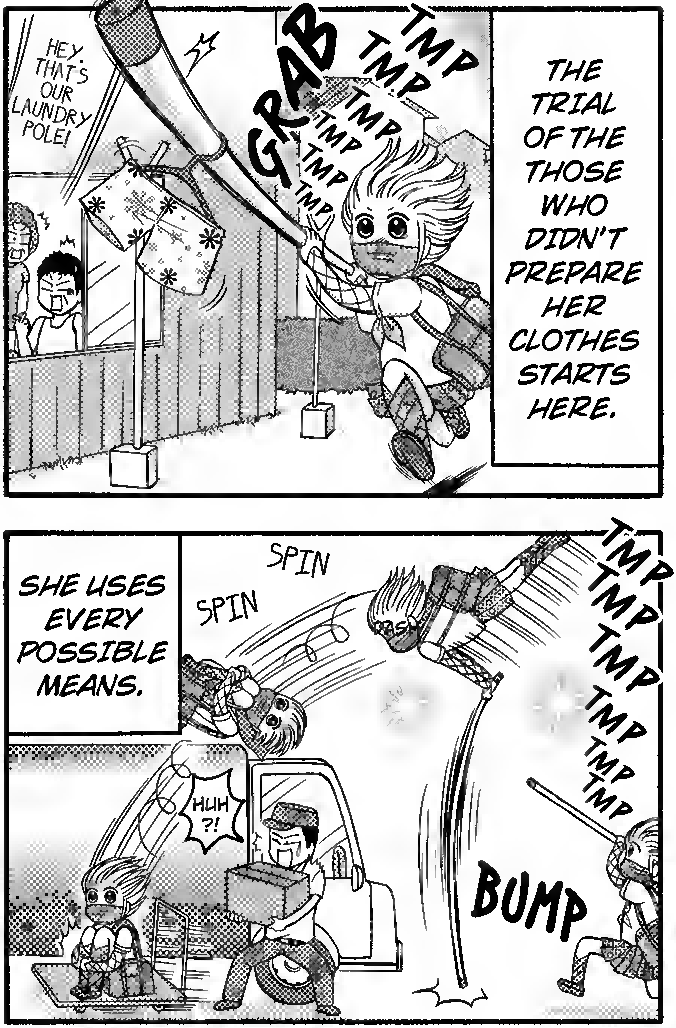


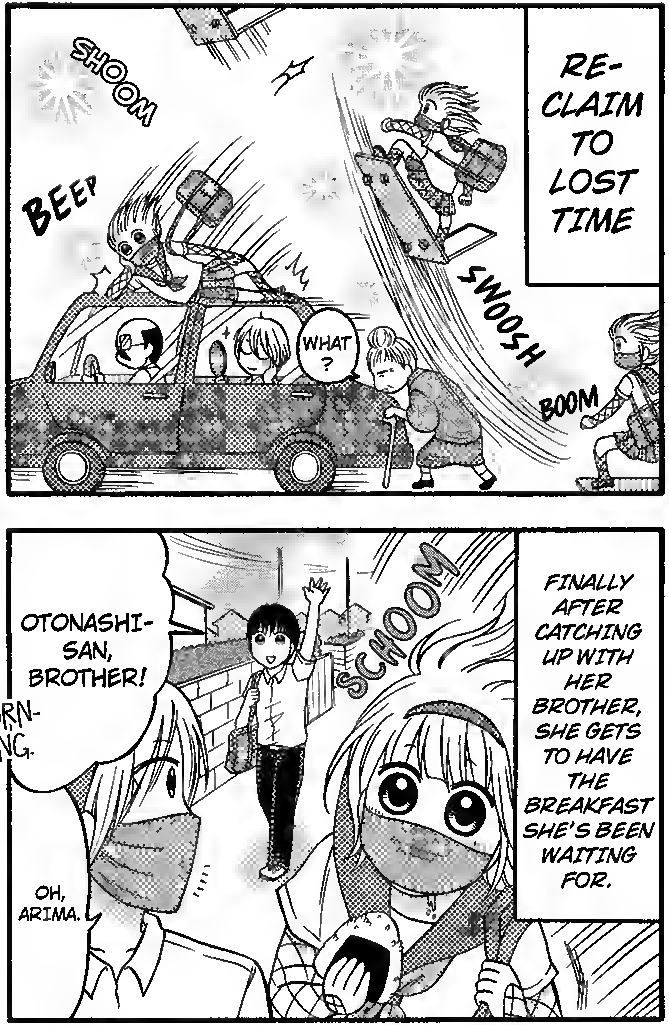



WHAT A FINE DAY!
SHINE
SHINE
HE GETS GOOD DOSE OF MORNING SUN AND PRODUCES VITAMIN D.
BY THE WAY ...

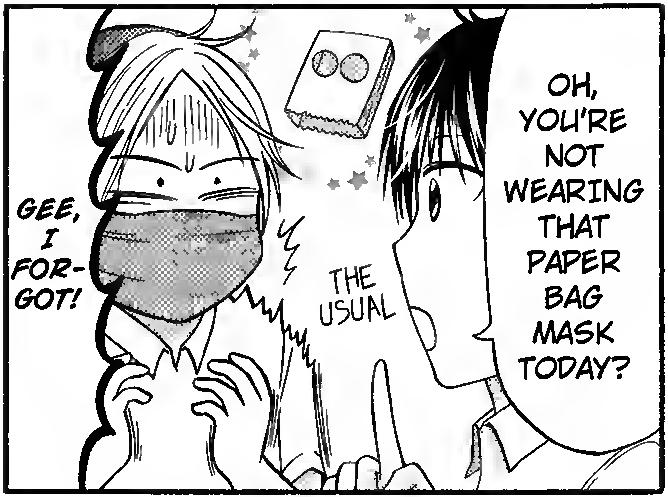

SOB
SOB
JUST WEAR THE SOCKS YOU WORE YESTER-DAY!
THE ONE WHO DIDN'T PREPARE MUST PARTAKE OF THE FORBIDDEN FRUIT.

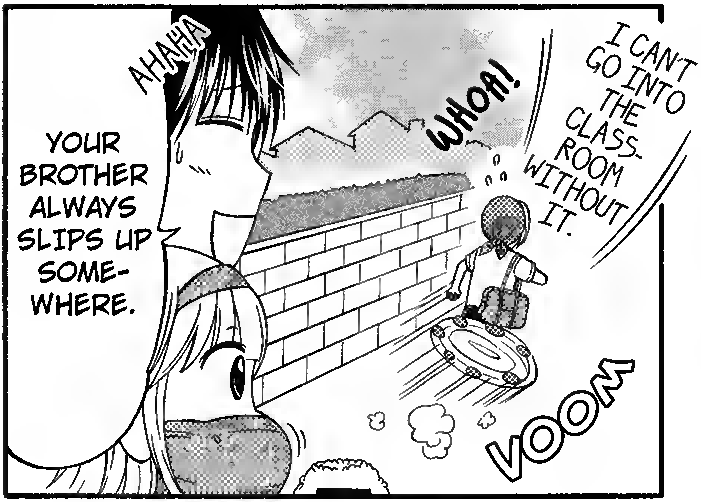
BEAT THE CLOCK

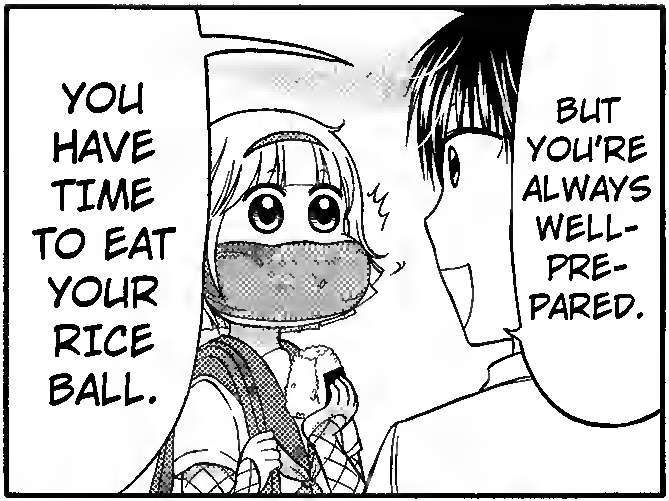


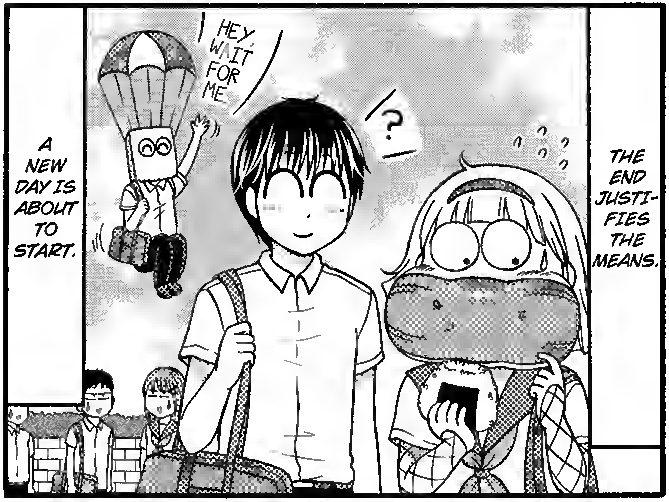

RE-CLAIM TO LOST TIME
SHOOM
BEEP
WHAT?
SWOOSH
BOOM
OTONASHI-SAN, BROTHER!
MORN-ING.
OH, ARIMA.
SCHOOM
FINALLY AFTER CATCHING UP WITH HER BROTHER, SHE GETS TO HAVE THE BREAKFAST SHE'S BEEN WAITING FOR.

CARELESS PERSON AND STABLE PERSON






YOU HAVE TIME TO EAT YOUR RICE BALL.
BUT YOU'RE ALWAYS WELL-PRE-PARED.


A NEW DAY IS ABOUT TO START.
HEY WAIT FOR ME!
?
THE END JUSTI-FIES THE MEANS.

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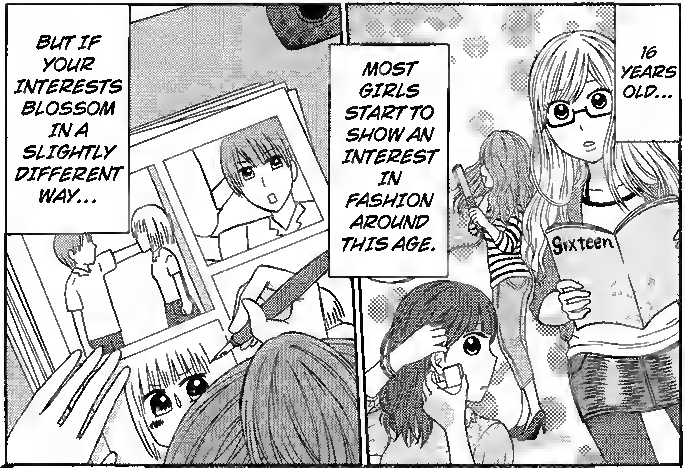
BUT IF YOUR INTERESTS BLOSSOM IN A SLIGHTLY DIFFERENT WAY...
MOST GIRLS START TO SHOW AN INTEREST IN FASHION AROUND THIS AGE.
16 YEARS OLD...
Sixteen

HIGH SCHOOL NINJA GIRL

OTONASHI-SAN

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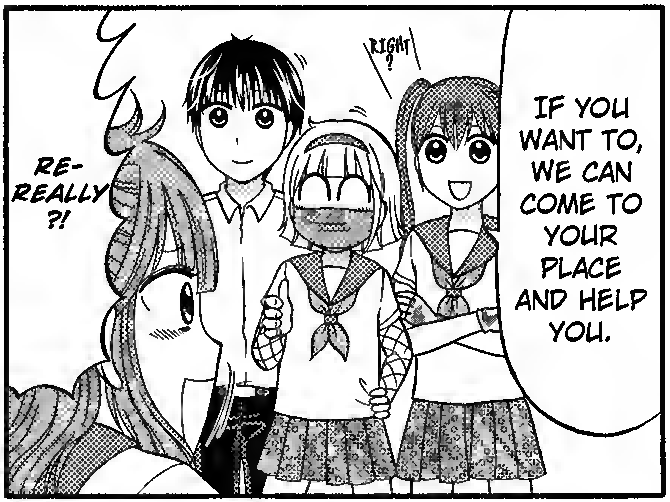
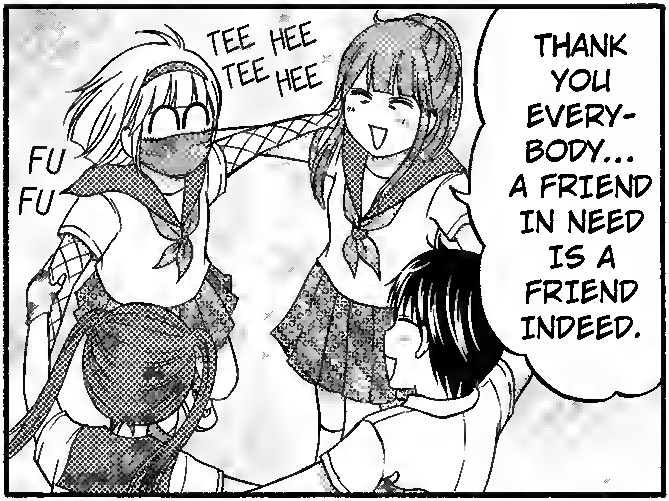
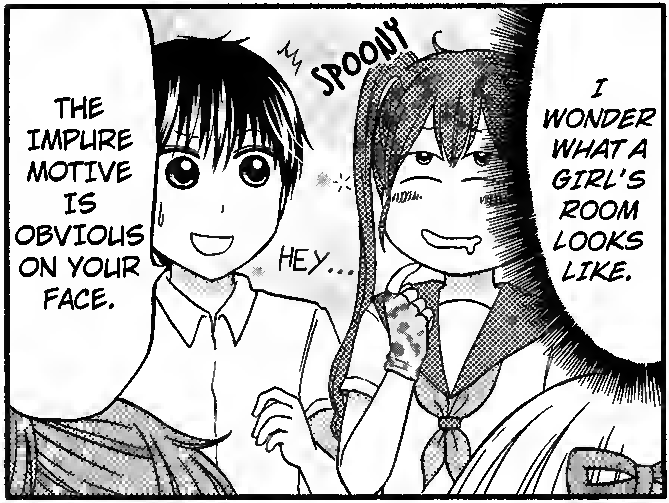
EPISODE 54 : TEAMWORK

FACING THE DEADLINE

TAKAGI-SAN, YOU HAVEN'T SLEPT FOR A WHILE?
SCRATCH SCRATCH SCRATCH
YEAH...
TOMORROW IS THE DEADLINE FOR THE NEW FACE AWARD, SO I HAVE TO SEND MY WORK IN TONIGHT...







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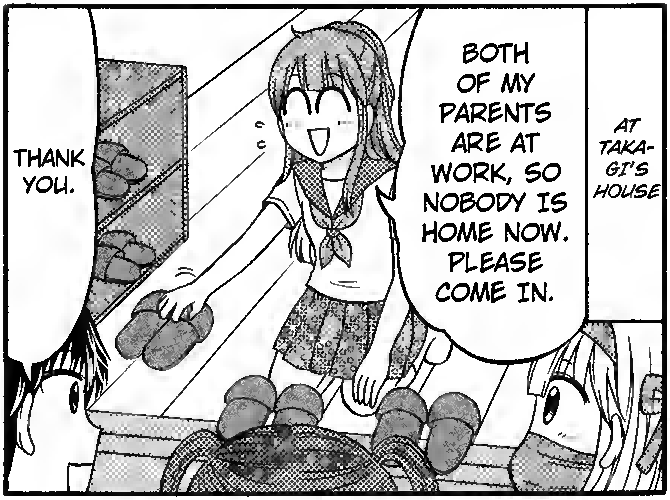
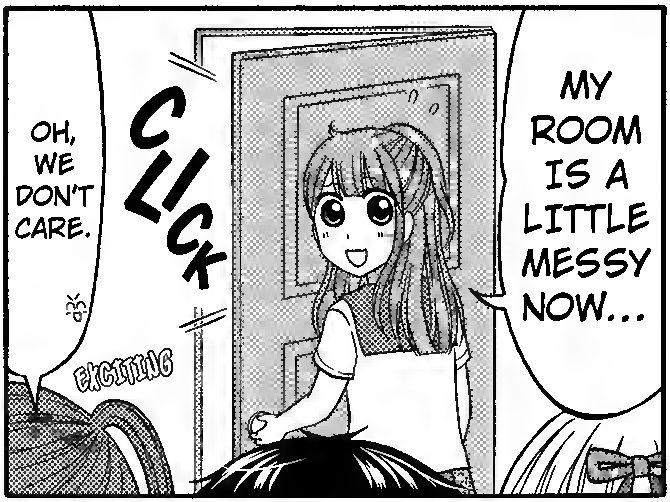
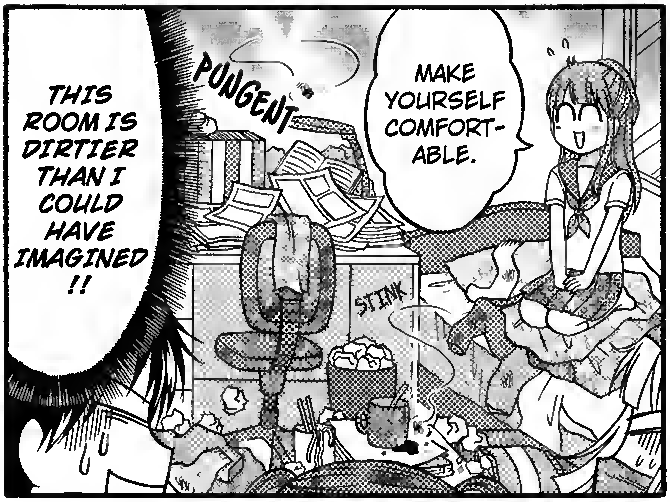
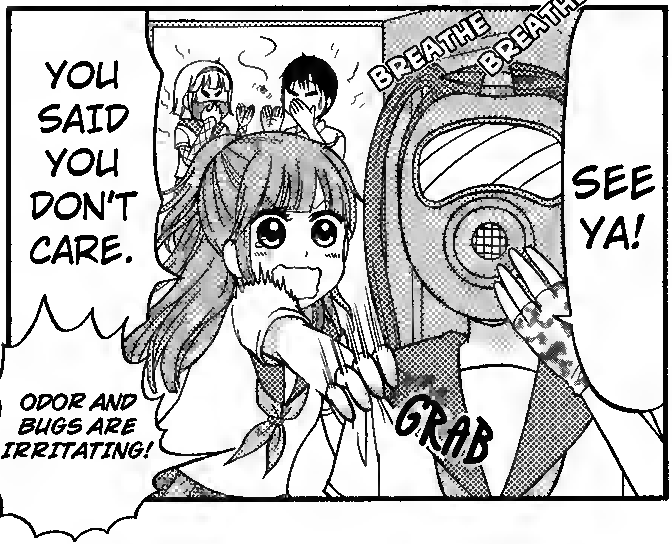
HOUSE VISIT

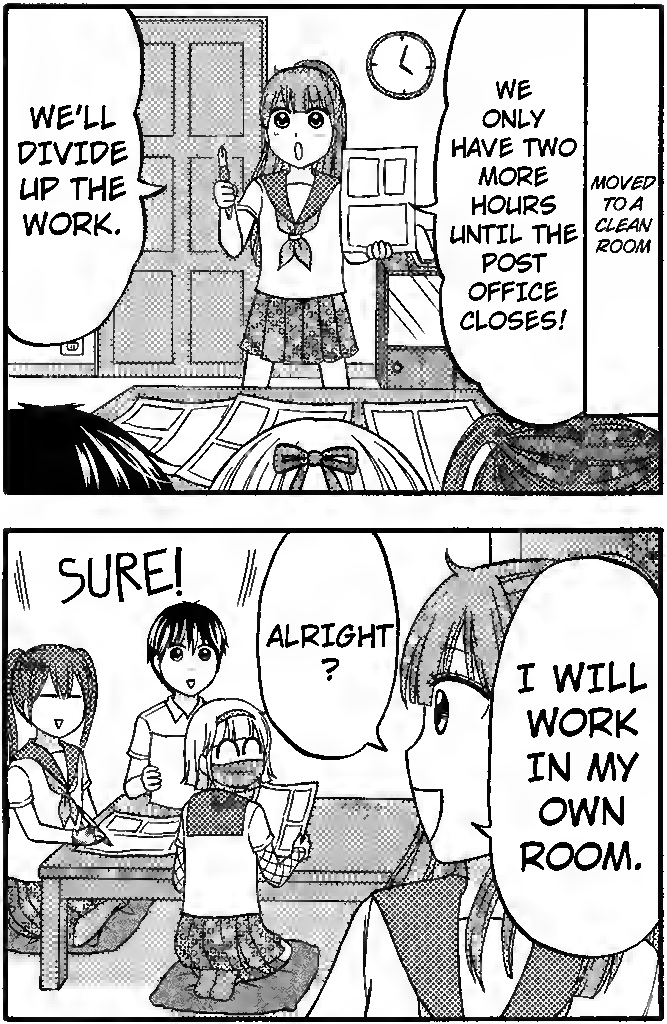

AT TAKAGI'S HOUSE
BOTH OF MY PARENTS ARE AT WORK, SO NOBODY IS HOME NOW. PLEASE COME IN.
THANK YOU.

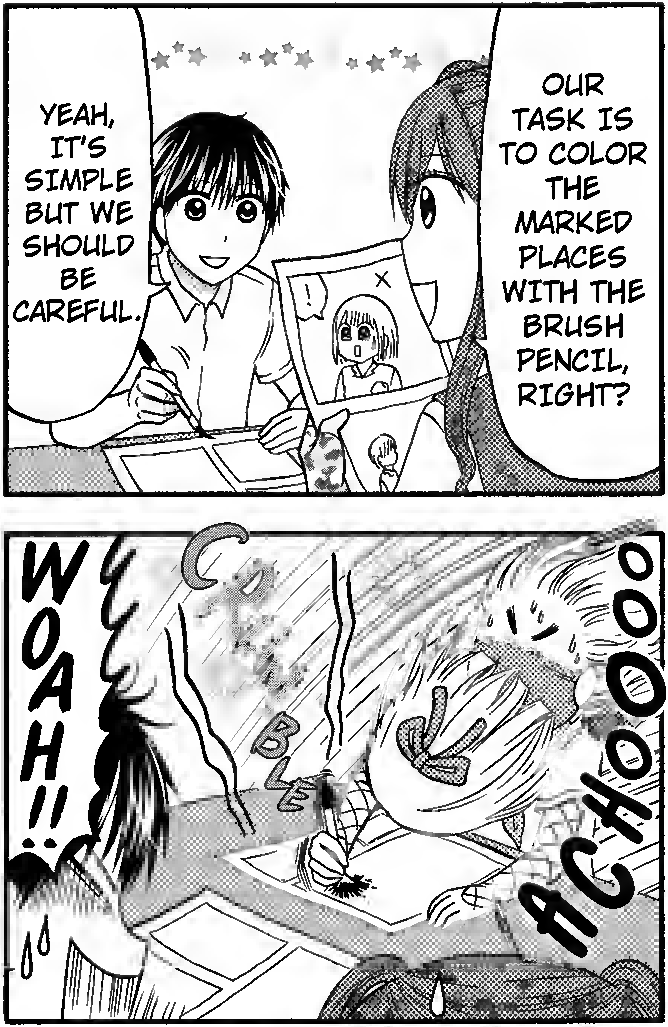

MY ROOM IS A LITTLE MESSY NOW...
CLICK
OH, WE DON'T CARE.
EXCITING


MAKE YOURSELF COMFORT-ABLE.
PUNGENT
STINK
THIS ROOM IS DIRTIER THAN I COULD HAVE IMAGINED !!


BREATHE
BREATHE
SEE YA!
GRAB
YOU SAID YOU DON'T CARE.
ODOR AND BUGS ARE IRRITATING!

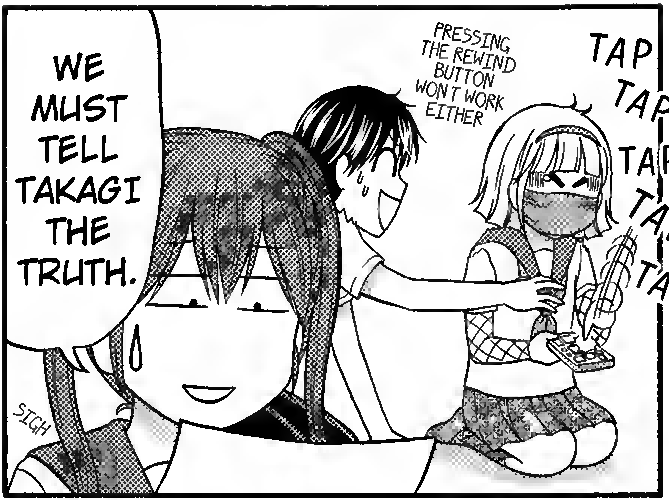
WE DON'T HAVE TIME

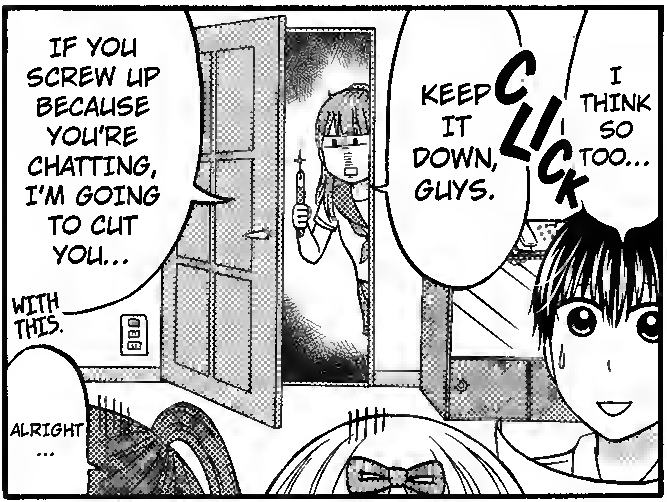

WE'LL DIVIDE UP THE WORK.
WE ONLY HAVE TWO MORE HOURS UNTIL THE POST OFFICE CLOSES!
MOVED TO A CLEAN ROOM
I WILL WORK IN MY OWN ROOM.
ALRIGHT ?
SURE!

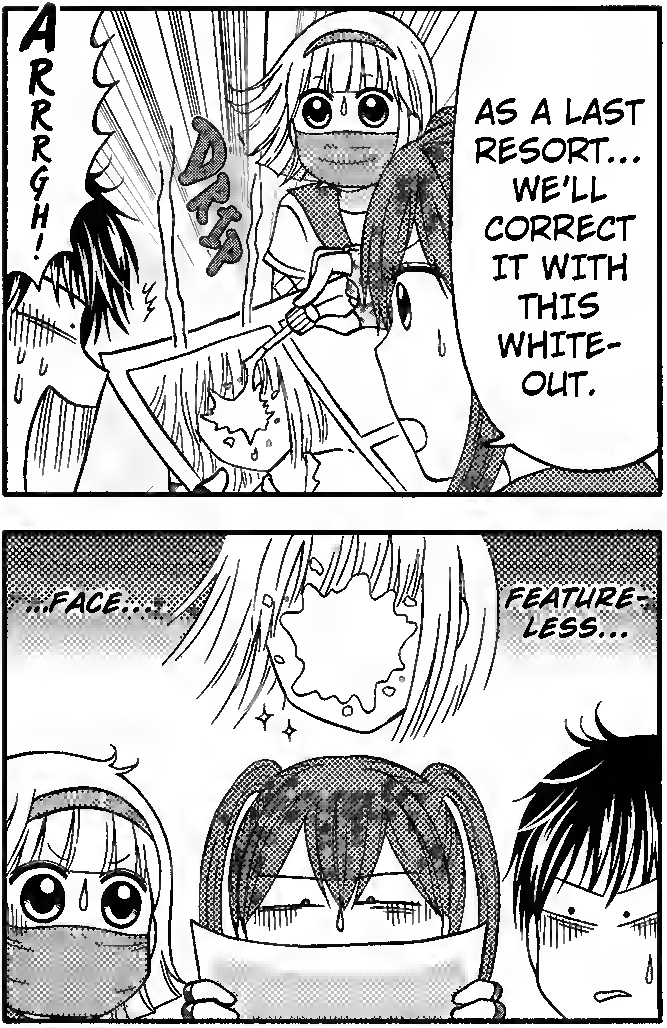

OUR TASK IS TO COLOR THE MARKED PLACES WITH THE BRUSH PENCIL, RIGHT?
YEAH, IT'S SIMPLE BUT WE SHOULD BE CAREFUL.
!
×
WOAH!!
CRUMBLE
ACHOOOO

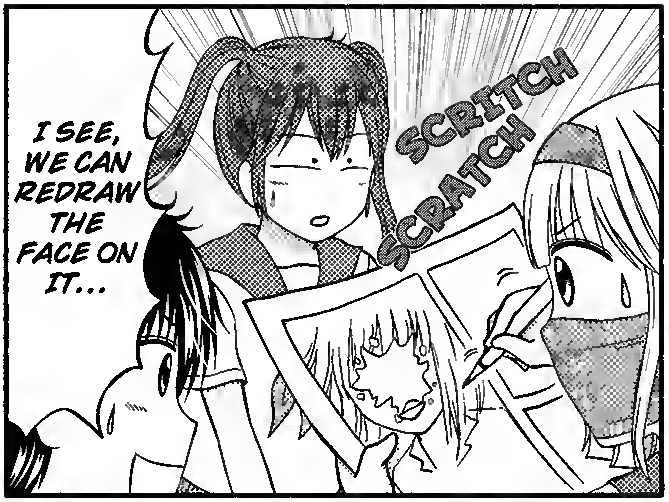
OOPS

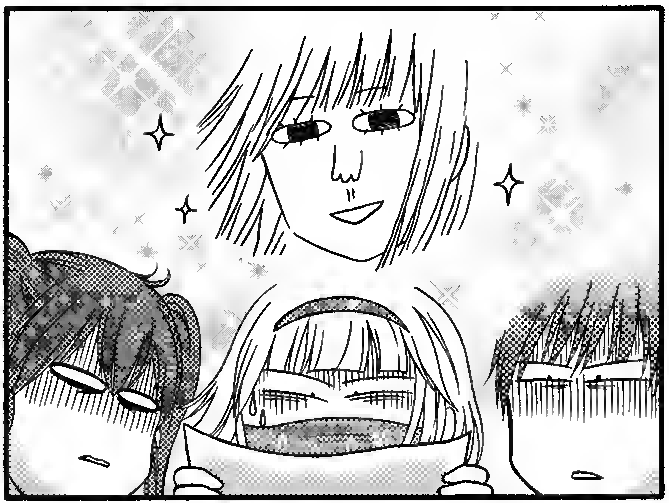
AND SHE'S THE HEROINE ...
THE GIRL'S FACE IS...
WINDING THE CLOCK BACK-WARDS WON'T REVERSE TIME?!
TURU
TURU
TURU
TURU
TURU
OTONASHI-SAN?!

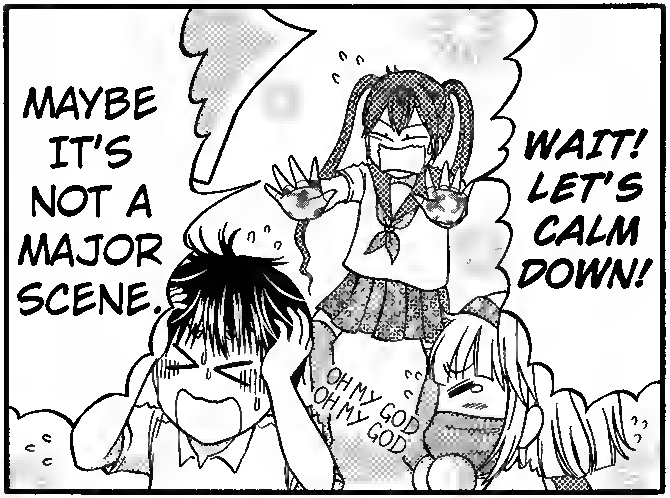

WE MUST TELL TAKAGI THE TRUTH.
SIGH
PRESSING THE REWIND BUTTON WON'T WORK EITHER
TAP
TAP
TAP
TAP
TAP

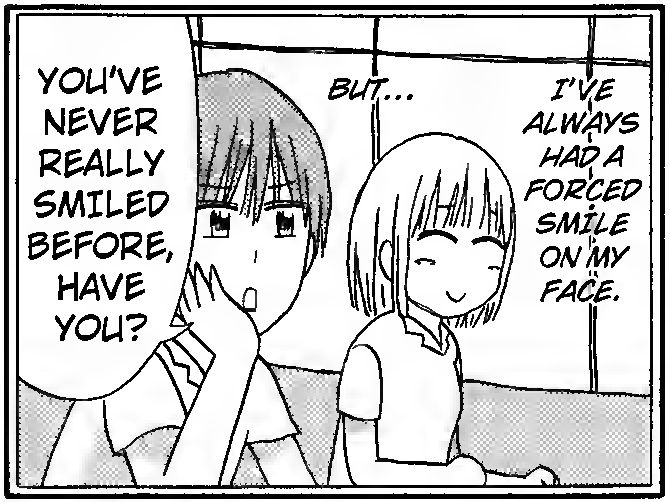

IF YOU SCREW UP BECAUSE YOU'RE CHATTING, I'M GOING TO CUT YOU...
WITH THIS.
ALRIGHT...
KEEP IT DOWN, GUYS.
CLICK
I THINK SO TOO...

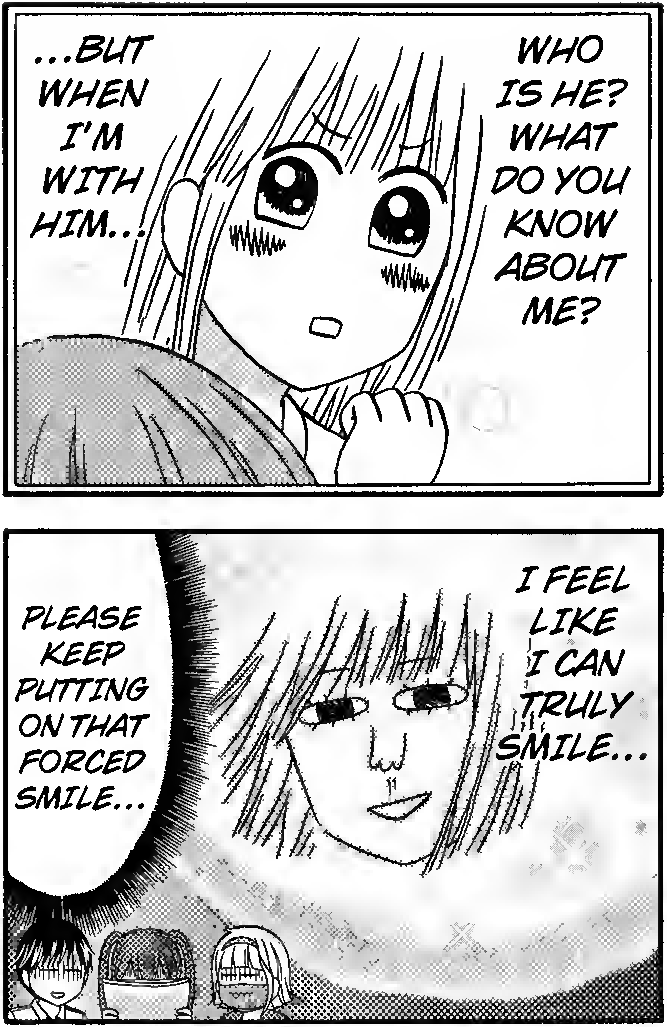

ARRRGH!
AS A LAST RESORT... WE'LL CORRECT IT WITH THIS WHITE-OUT.
...FACE...
FEATURE-LESS...


I SEE, WE CAN REDRAW THE FACE ON IT...
SCRITCH SCRATCH

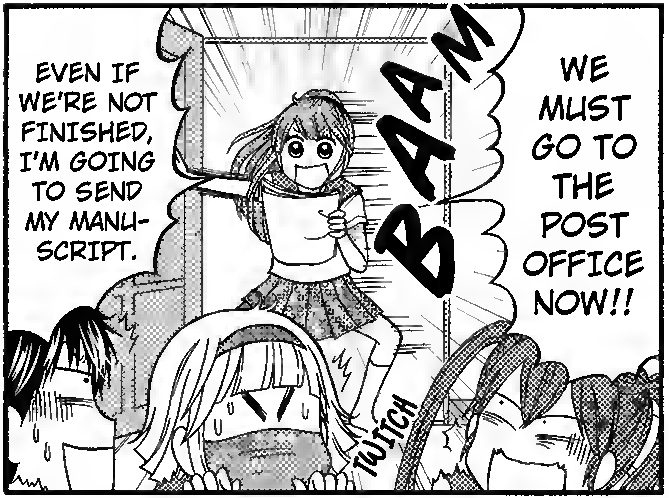


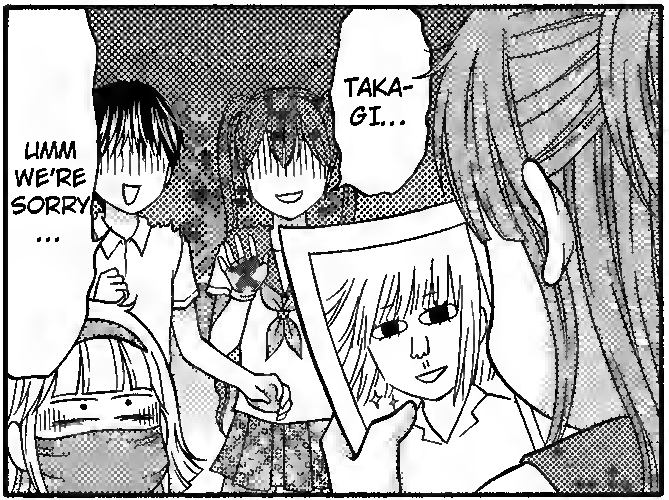

MAYBE IT'S NOT A MAJOR SCENE.
WAIT! LET'S CALM DOWN!
OH MY GOD OH MY GOD

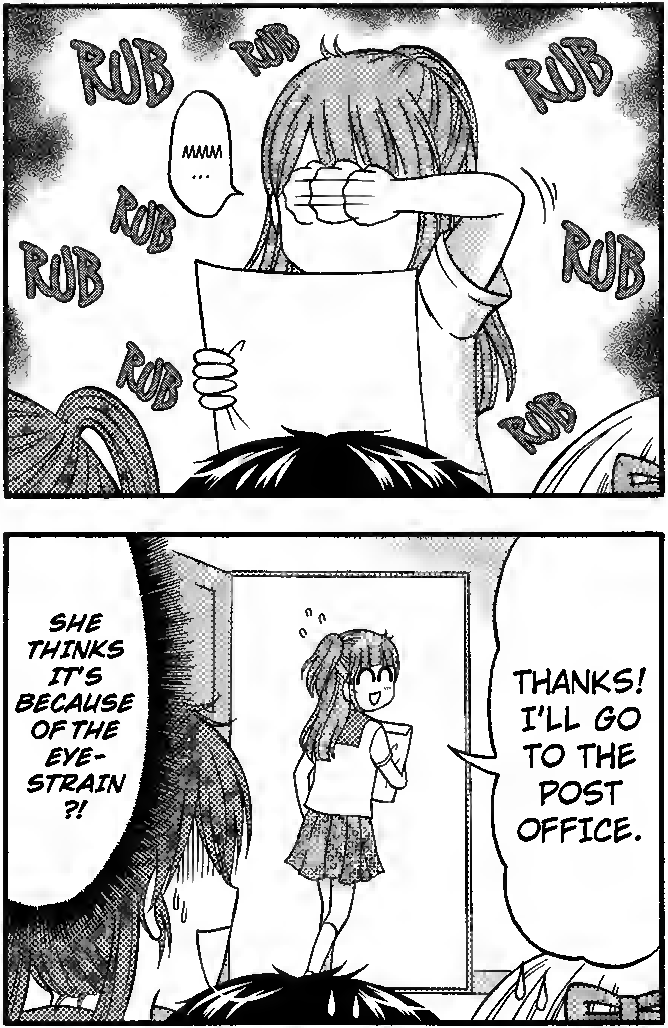

YOU'VE NEVER REALLY SMILED BEFORE, HAVE YOU?
BUT...
I'VE ALWAYS HAD A FORCED SMILE ON MY FACE.


...BUT WHEN I'M WITH HIM...
WHO IS HE? WHAT DO YOU KNOW ABOUT ME?
PLEASE KEEP PUTTING ON THAT FORCED SMILE...
I FEEL LIKE I CAN TRULY SMILE...

OUT OF TIME

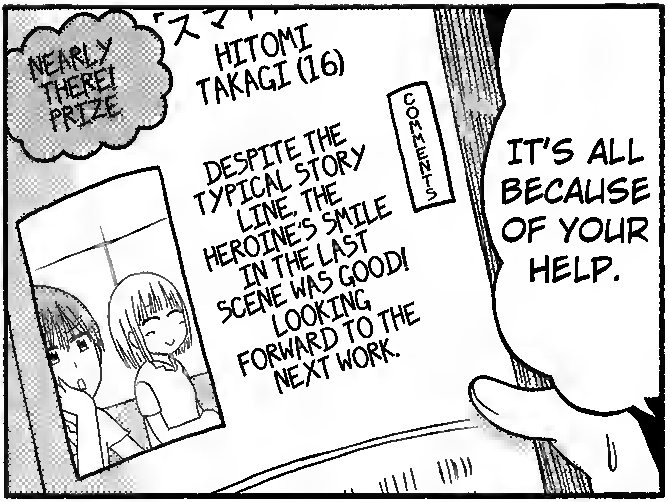

EVEN IF WE'RE NOT FINISHED, I'M GOING TO SEND MY MANU-SCRIPT.
BAAM
WE MUST GO TO THE POST OFFICE NOW!!
TWITCH

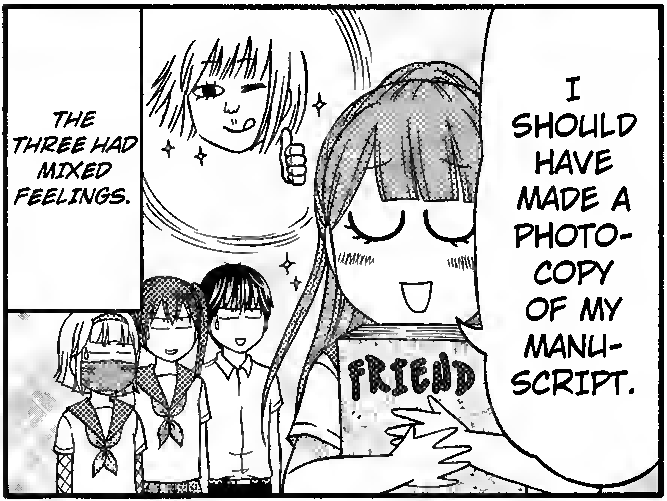

TAKA-GI...
UMM WE'RE SORRY ...


RUB
RUB
RUB
MMM
...
RUB
RUB
RUB
RUB
RUB
RUB
THANKS! I'LL GO TO THE POST OFFICE.
SHE THINKS IT'S BECAUSE OF THE EYE-STRAIN ?!

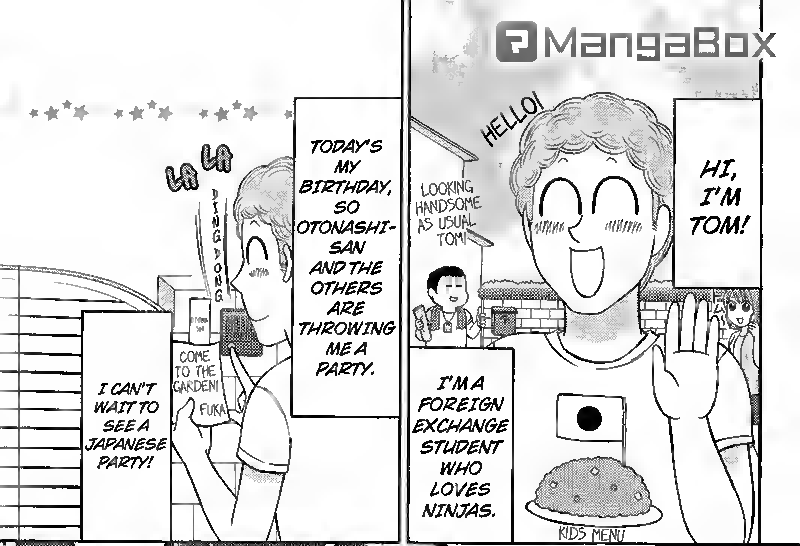
THEY DARE NOT SAY...

WE COULDN'T TELL HER THE TRUTH IN THE END...
ONE MONTH LATER
TAKAGI'S MANGA'S RESULT COME OUT TODAY...
WHAT?! REALLY?
NEW FACE AWARD
HEY GUYS, I'VE WON MY FIRST PRIZE!!
ALTHOUGH IT'S THE LOWEST PRIZE


NEARLY THERE! PRIZE
HITOMI TAKAGI (16)
DESPITE THE TYPICAL STORY LINE, THE HEROINE'S SMILE IN THE LAST SCENE WAS GOOD! LOOKING FORWARD TO THE NEXT WORK.
COMMENTS
IT'S ALL BECAUSE OF YOUR HELP.


I SHOULD HAVE MADE A PHOTO-COPY OF MY MANU-SCRIPT.
FRIEND
THE THREE HAD MIXED FEELINGS.

MangaBox


HELLO!
HI, I'M TOM!
LOOKING HANDSOME AS USUAL, TOM!
I'M A FOREIGN EXCHANGE STUDENT WHO LOVES NINJAS.
KIDS MENU
LA LA
DING DONG
TODAY'S MY BIRTHDAY, SO OTONASHI-SAN AND THE OTHERS ARE THROWING ME A PARTY.
I CAN'T WAIT TO SEE A JAPANESE PARTY!
COME TO THE GARDEN!
FUKA

HIGH SCHOOL NINJA GIRL

OTONASHI-SAN

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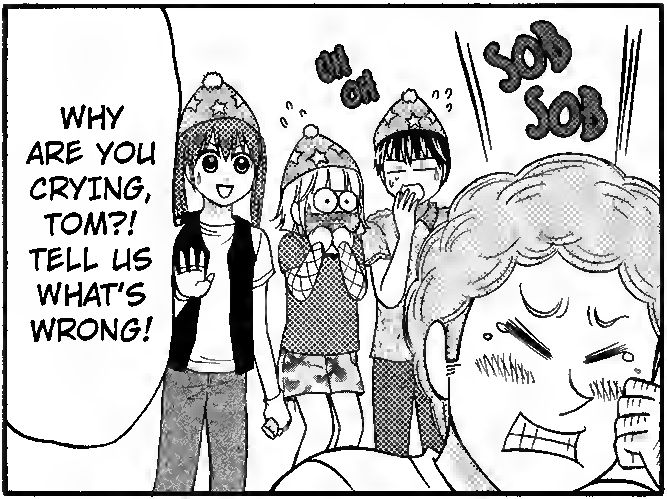
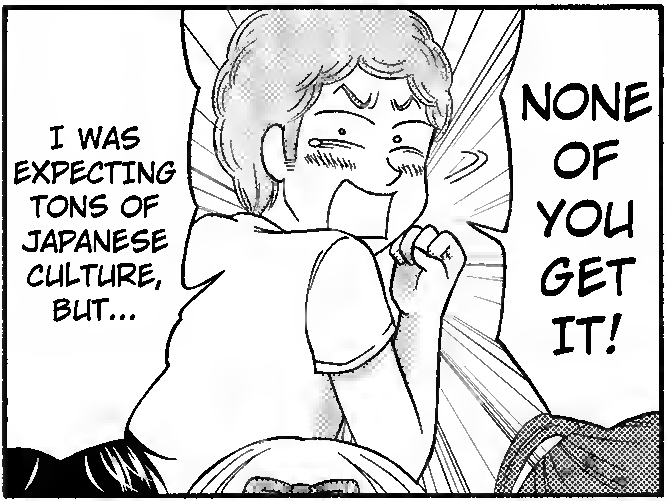
EPISODE 55: THE ALMIGHTY WABISABI

WEEPING TOM





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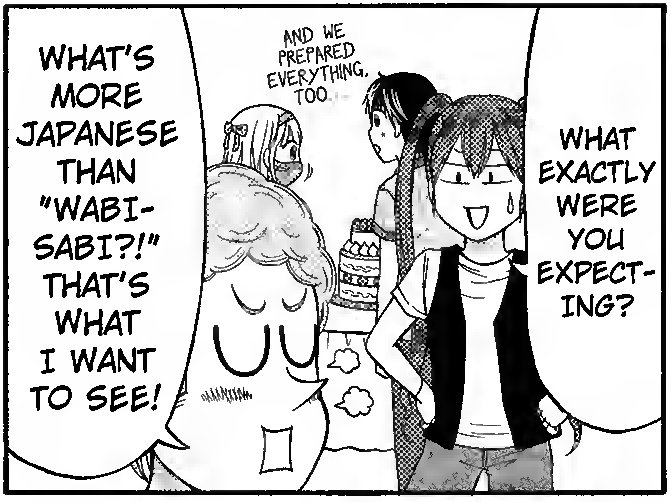
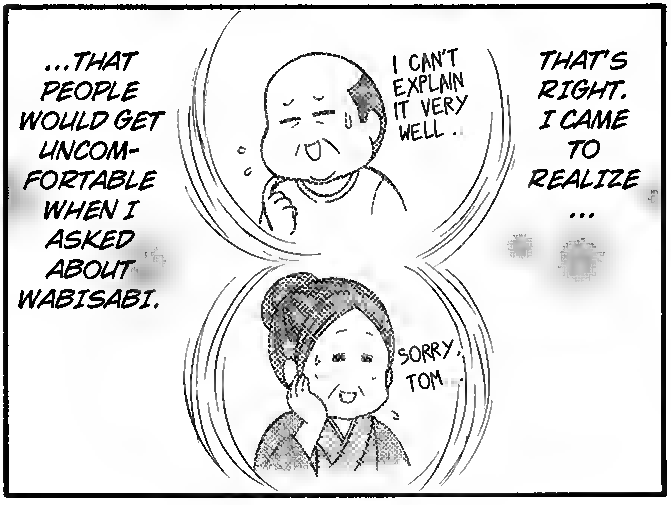
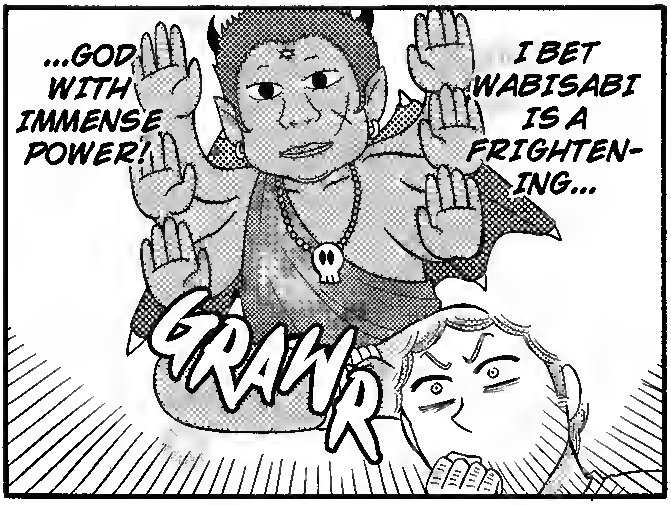
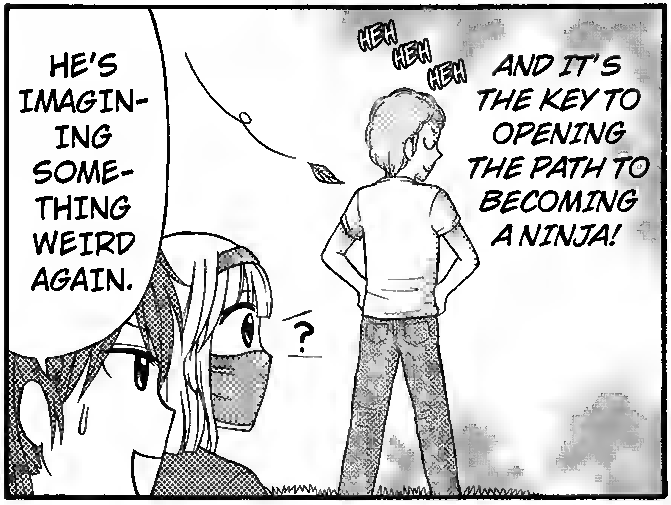
FRUIT PUNCH AND THIS CAKE, TOO!
FROM THE COOKING CLUB
CHICKEN DRUM-STICKS! ORANGE JUICE!
WE GOT TOLD BY AN AMERI-CAN !!
WHIP
KIDS MENU
YOU AMERICAN COPYCATS !!

GREEDY TOM

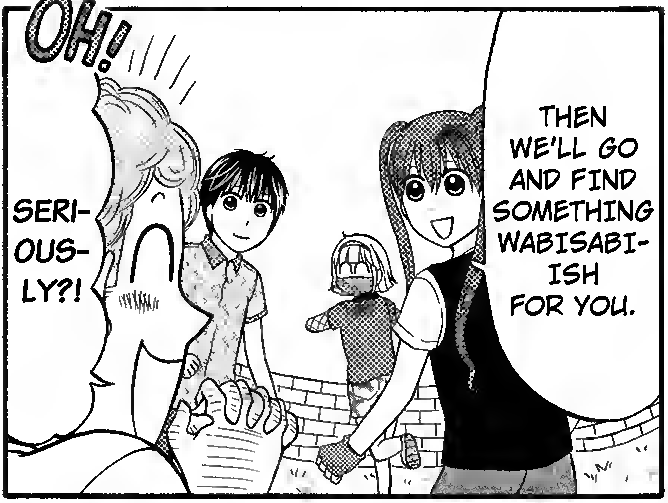

WHAT'S MORE JAPANESE THAN "WABI-SABI?!" THAT'S WHAT I WANT TO SEE!
AND WE PREPARED EVERYTHING, TOO.
WHAT EXACTLY WERE YOU EXPECT-ING?

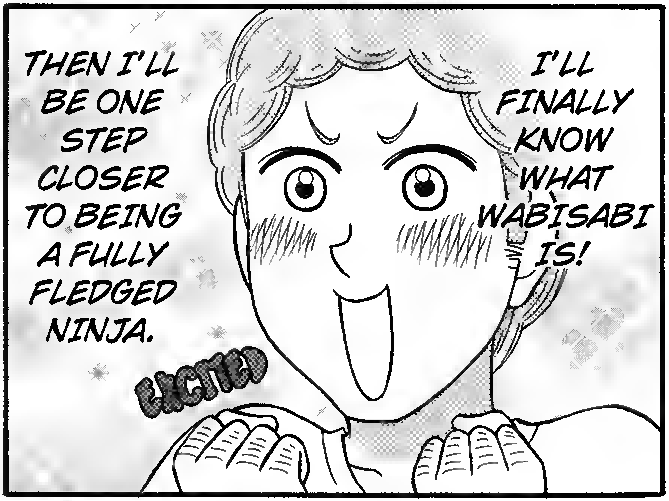

...THAT PEOPLE WOULD GET UNCOM-FORTABLE WHEN I ASKED ABOUT WABISABI.
I CAN'T EXPLAIN IT VERY WELL.
THAT'S RIGHT. I CAME TO REALIZE ...
SORRY, TOM.

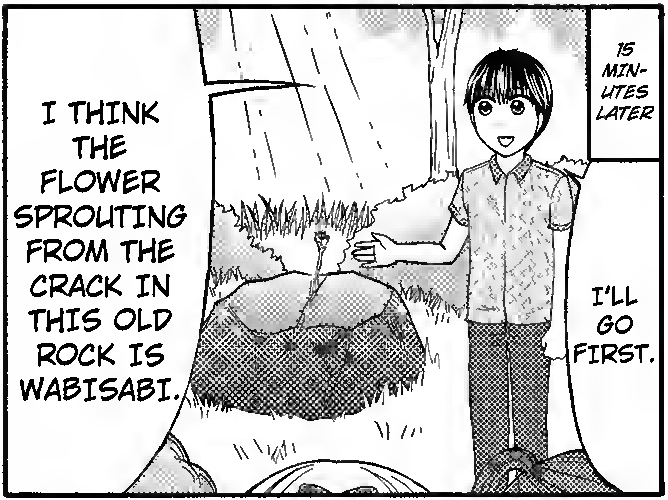

...GOD WITH IMMENSE POWER!
I BET WABISABI IS A FRIGHTEN-ING...
GRAWR

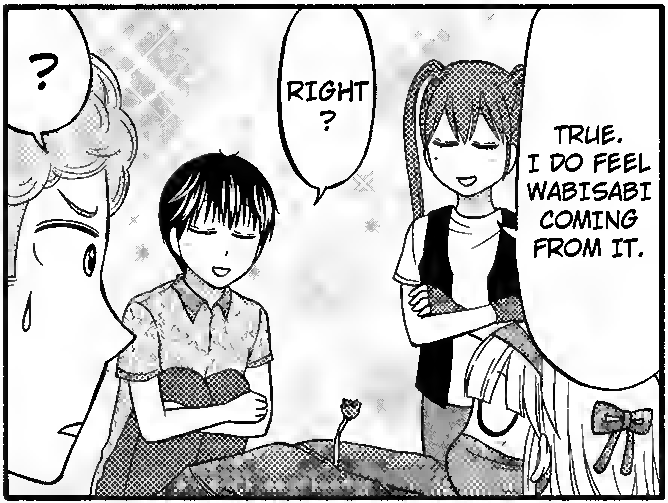

HE'S IMAGIN-ING SOME-THING WEIRD AGAIN.
?
HEH HEH HEH
AND IT'S THE KEY TO OPENING THE PATH TO BECOMING A NINJA!

EXCITED TOM

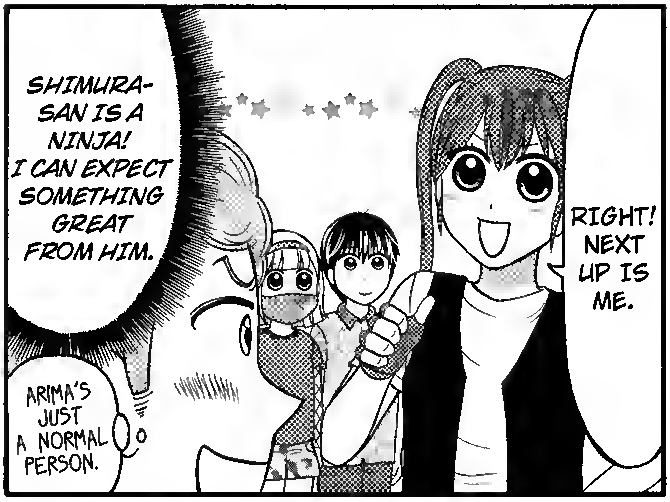

OH!
SERI-OUS-LY?!
THEN WE'LL GO AND FIND SOMETHING WABISABI-ISH FOR YOU.

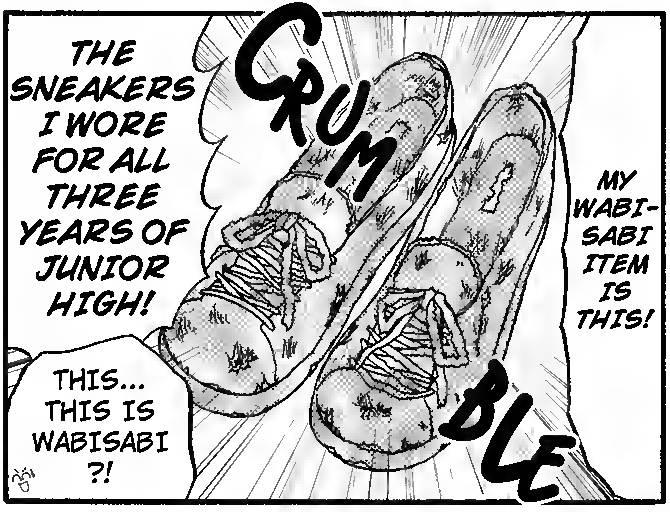

THEN I'LL BE ONE STEP CLOSER TO BEING A FULLY FLEDGED NINJA.
I'LL FINALLY KNOW WHAT WABISABI IS!
EXCITED

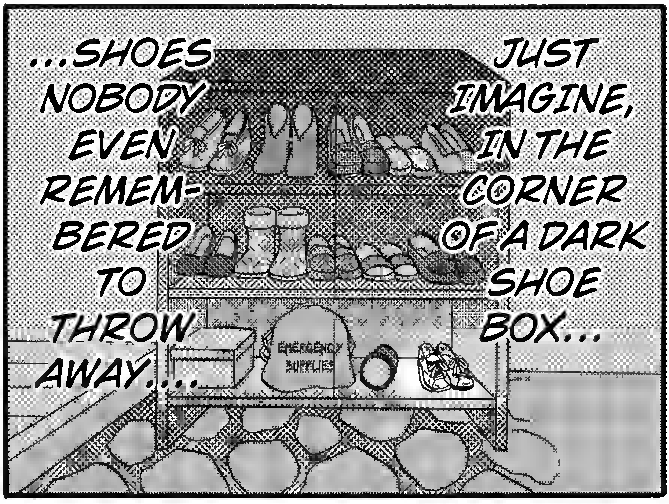

15 MIN-UTES LATER
I'LL GO FIRST.
I THINK THE FLOWER SPROUTING FROM THE CRACK IN THIS OLD ROCK IS WABISABI.

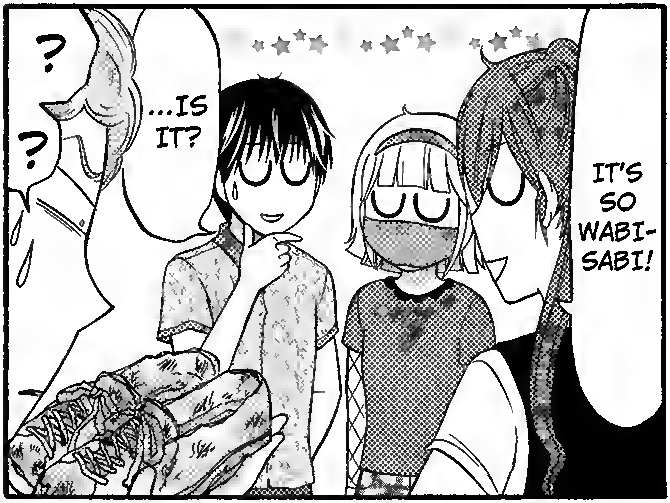

TRUE. I DO FEEL WABISABI COMING FROM IT.
RIGHT ?
?

CONFUSED TOM

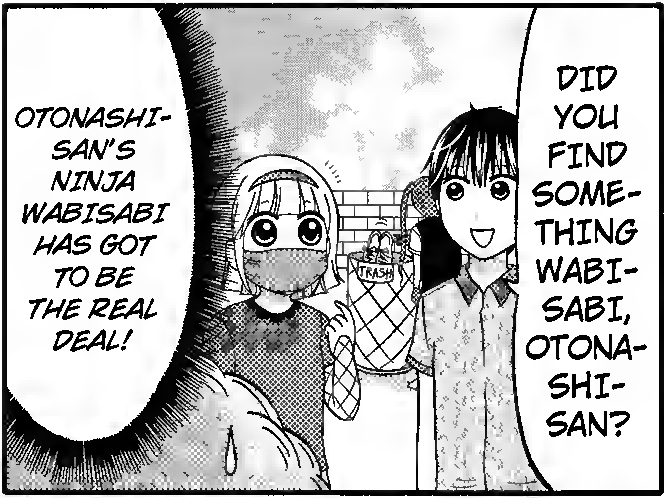


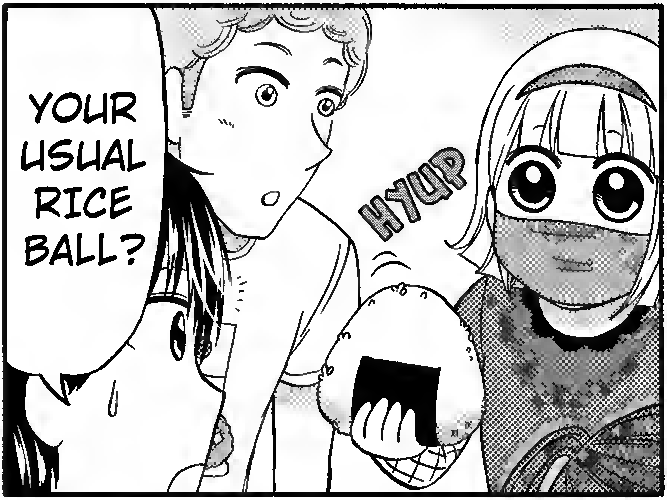


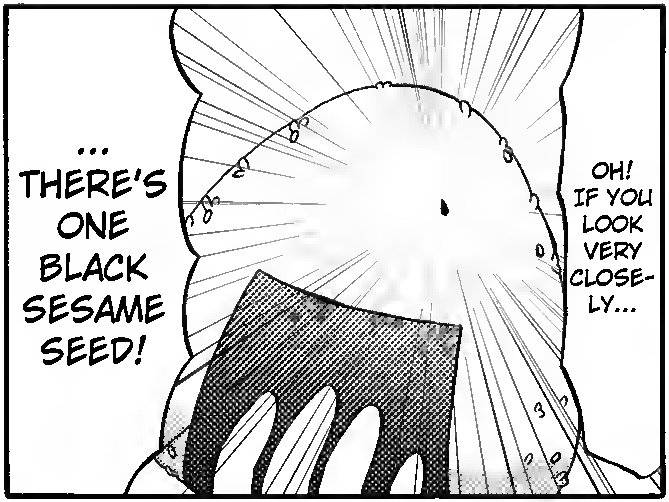

...SHOES NOBODY EVEN REMEMBERED TO THROW AWAY....
JUST IMAGINE, IN THE CORNER OF A DARK SHOE BOX...
EMERGENCY SUPPLIES

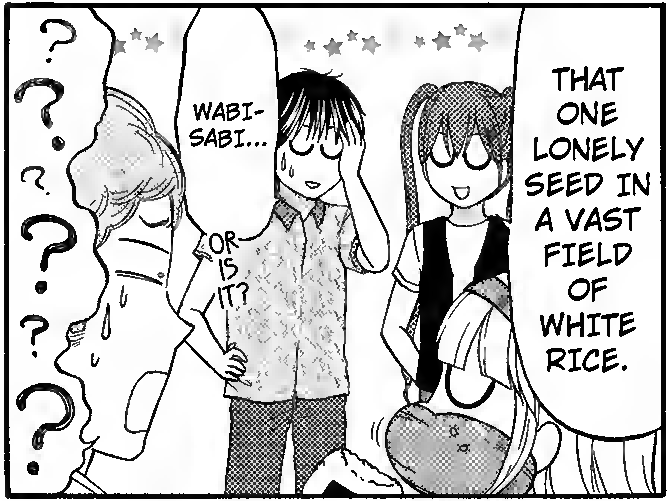

?
?
...IS IT?
IT'S SO WABI-SABI!

EVEN MORE CONFUSED TOM

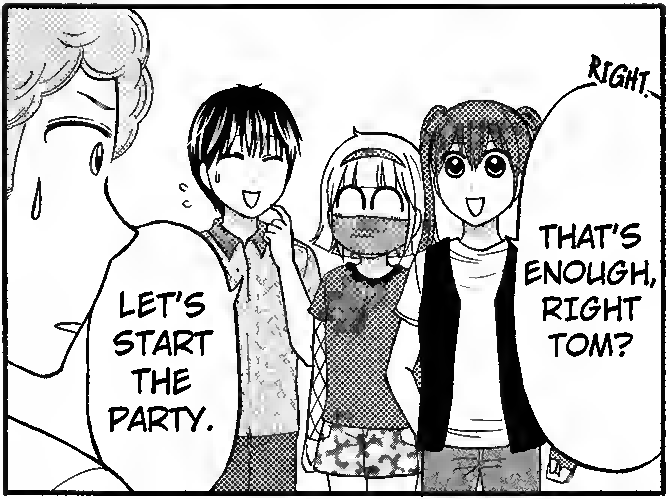




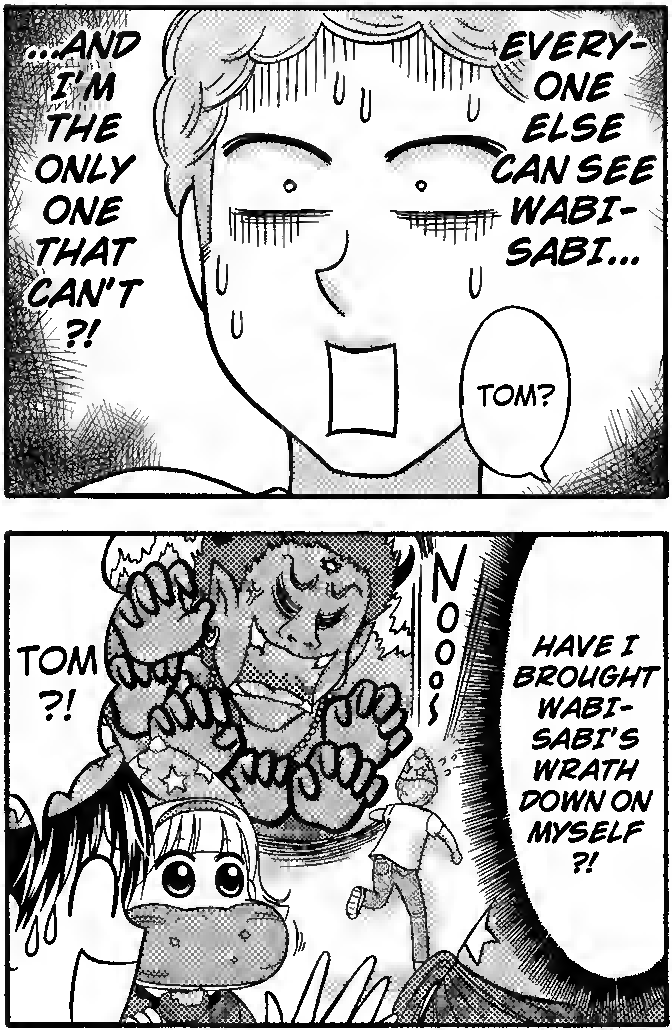

OH! IF YOU LOOK VERY CLOSE-LY...
... THERE'S ONE BLACK SESAME SEED!


THAT ONE LONELY SEED IN A VAST FIELD OF WHITE RICE.
WABI-SABI...
OR IS IT?
? ? ? ? ? ?

SHAKY TOM

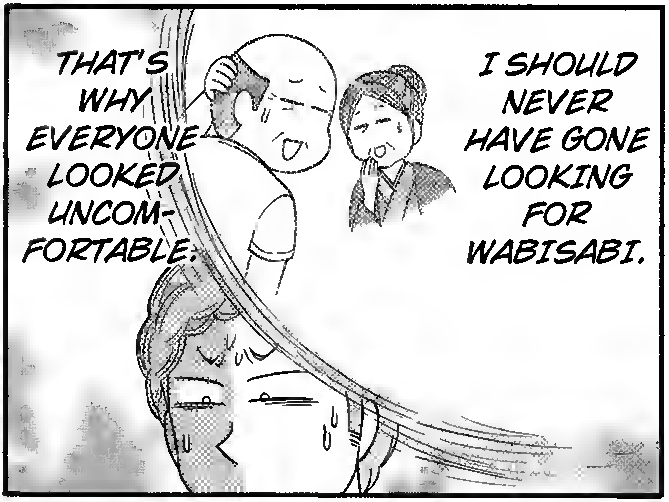

LET'S START THE PARTY.
THAT'S ENOUGH, RIGHT TOM?
RIGHT.

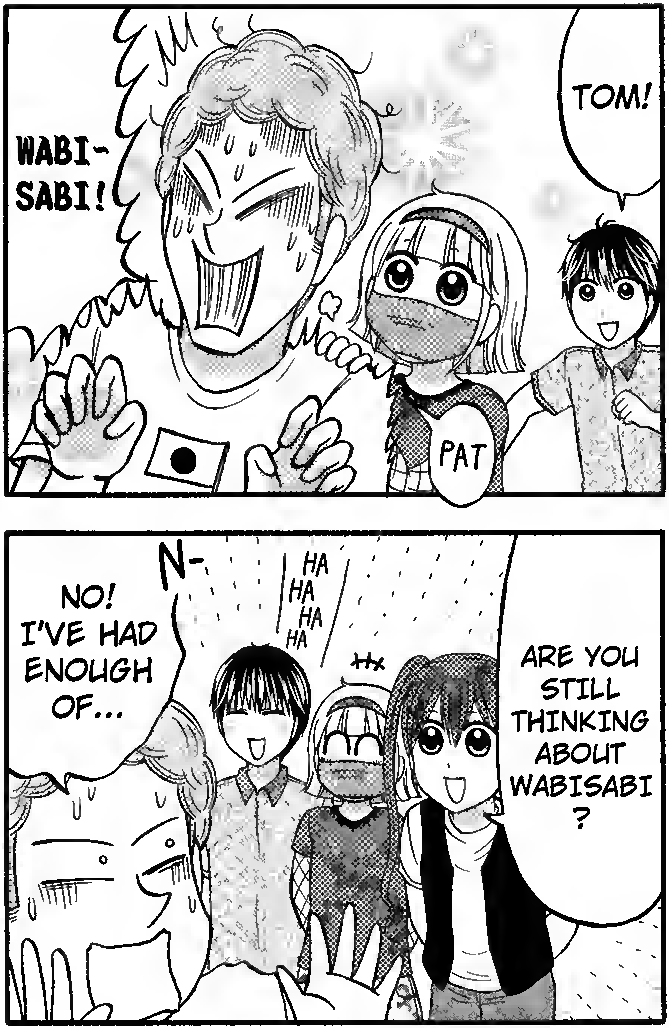
WHY AM I THE ONLY ONE WHO DOESN'T UNDER-STAND?
TOM
HAPPY BIRTH-DAY
THIS IS WEIRD. EVERYONE GETS IT...
MENU


...AND I'M THE ONLY ONE THAT CAN'T ?!
EVERY-ONE ELSE CAN SEE WABI-SABI...
TOM?
TOM ?!
NOOO~
HAVE I BROUGHT WABI-SABI'S WRATH DOWN ON MYSELF ?!

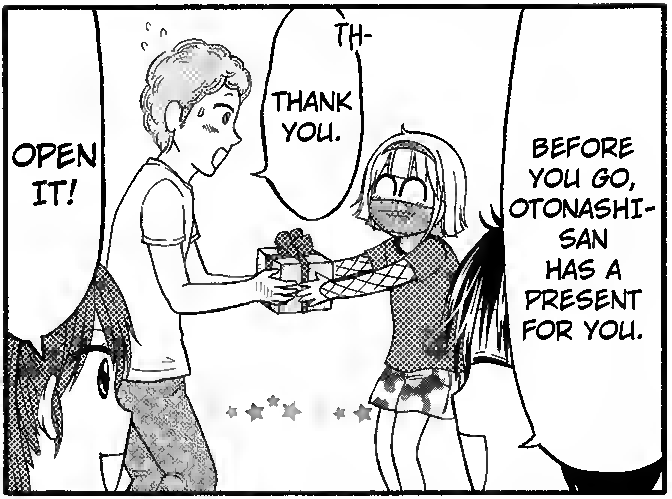
SCAREDY TOM

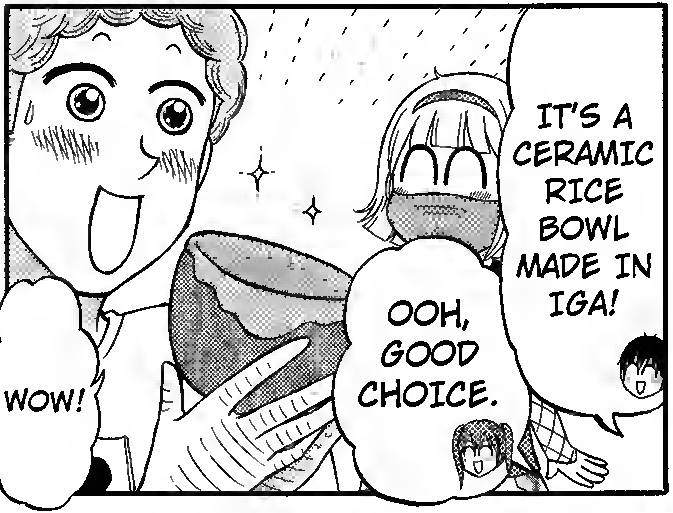
HAVE I RUN FAR ENOUGH ?
HUFF PUFF


THAT'S WHY EVERYONE LOOKED UNCOM-FORTABLE.
I SHOULD NEVER HAVE GONE LOOKING FOR WABISABI.


WABI-SABI!
TOM!
PAT
N-
NO! I'VE HAD ENOUGH OF...
HA HA HA HA
ARE YOU STILL THINKING ABOUT WABISABI?

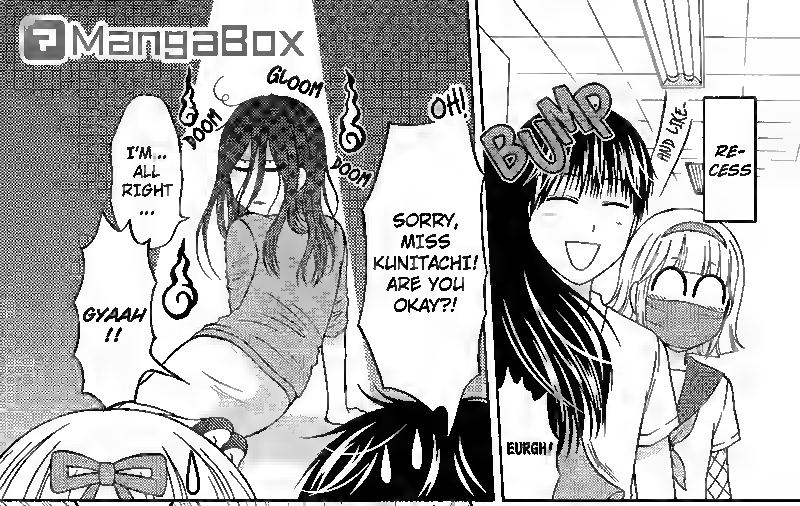
OVER THE EDGE TOM

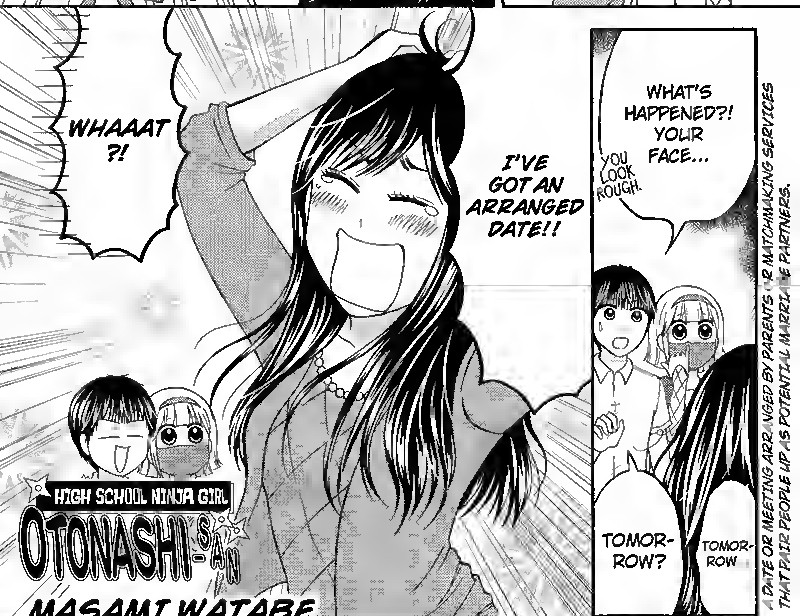




OH!
TOM! THIS BOWL IS AN EXAMPLE OF WABI-SABI!
YEAH.
KEH KEH KEH KEH
WHAT?!
UH, TOM...?
WHAT'S HIS DEAL?
?
ZOOM
NOOOOO

MangaBox




WHAAAT?!
I'VE GOT AN ARRANGED DATE!!
WHAT'S HAPPENED?! YOUR FACE...
YOU LOOK ROUGH.
TOMOR-ROW?
TOMOR-ROW
A DATE OR MEETING ARR. ANGED BY PARENTS OR MATCHMAKING SERVICES THAT PAIR PEOPLE UP AS POTENTIAL MARRIAGE PARTNERS.

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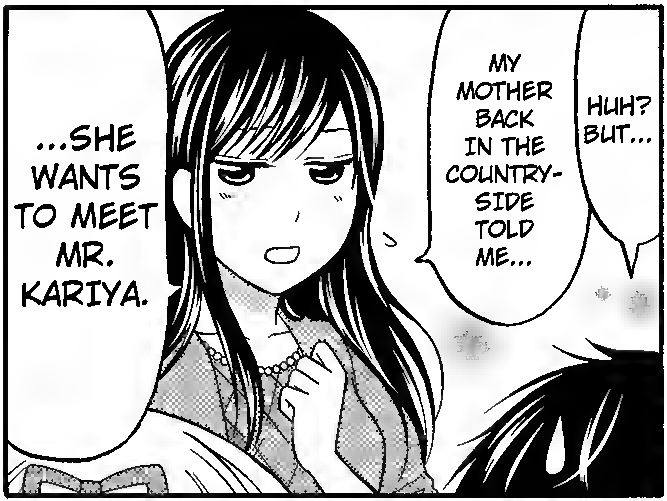
EPISODE 56: MAY MY FEELINGS REACH YOUR HEART

SO THAT MEANS...



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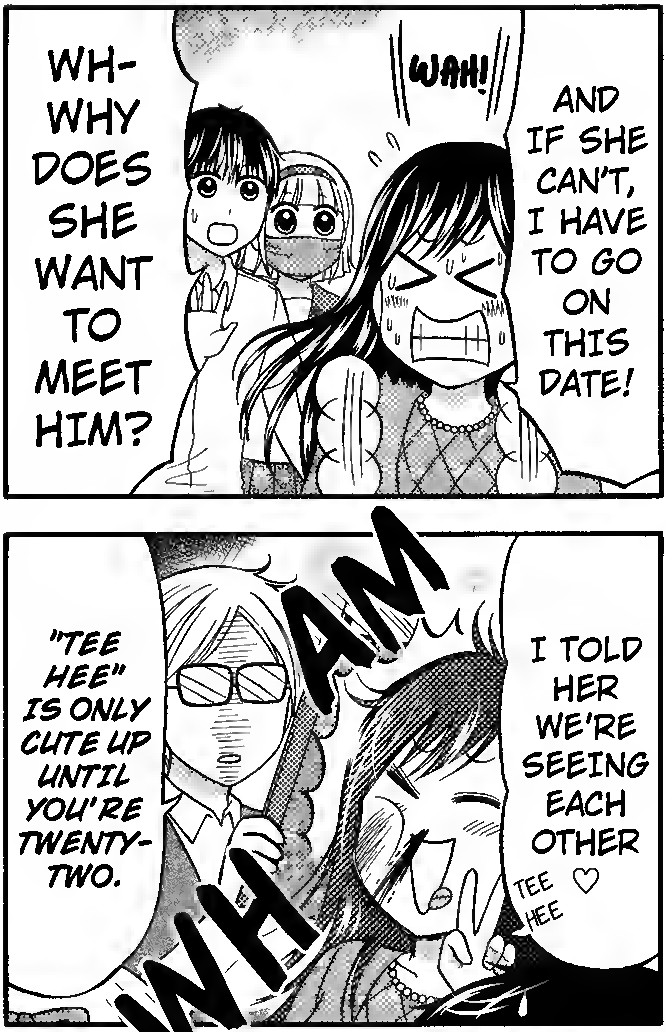
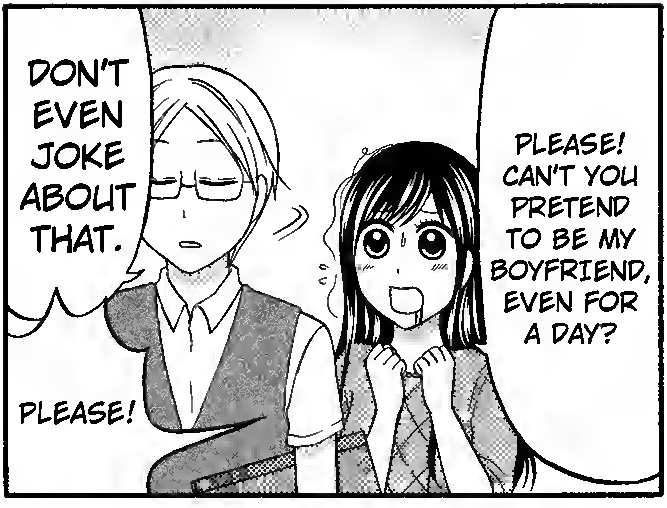
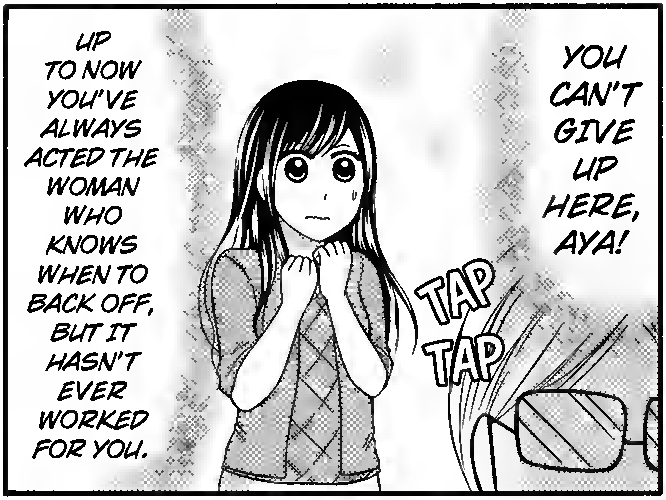

WH-WHY DOES SHE WANT TO MEET HIM?
WAH!
AND IF SHE CAN'T, I HAVE TO GO ON THIS DATE!
"TEE HEE" IS ONLY CUTE UP UNTIL YOU'RE TWENTY-TWO.
WHAM
I TOLD HER WE'RE SEEING EACH OTHER
TEE HEE ♡

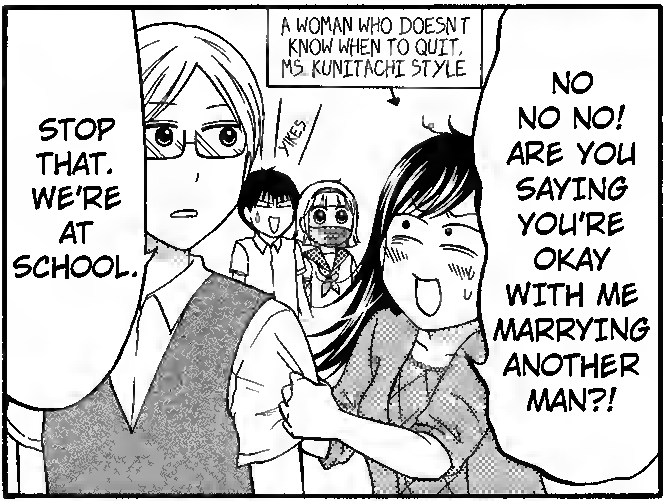
SPEAK OF THE DEVIL

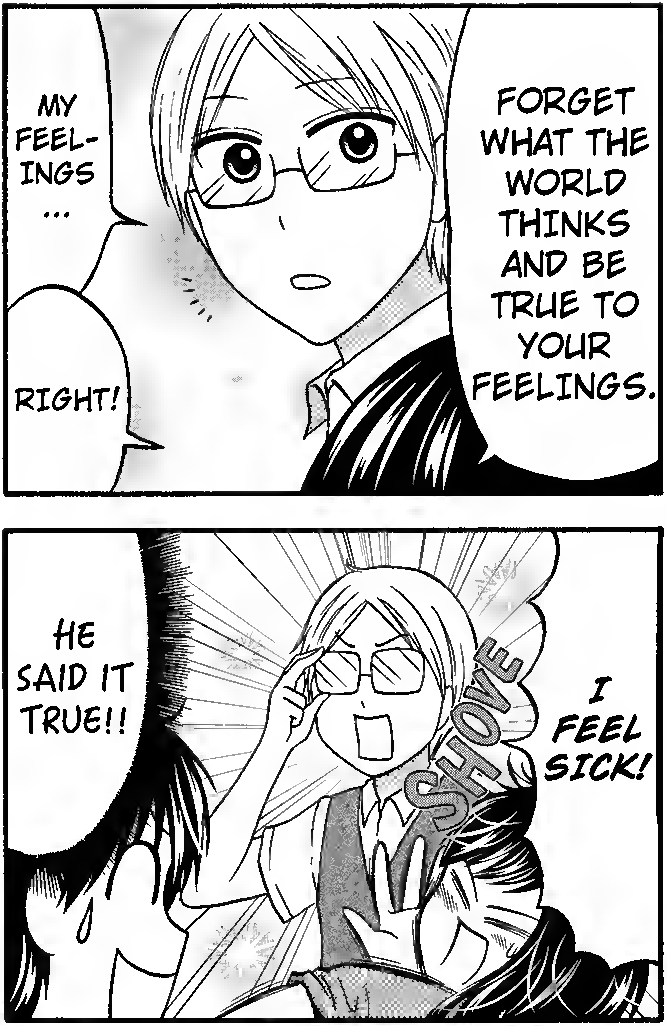

PLEASE! CAN'T YOU PRETEND TO BE MY BOYFRIEND, EVEN FOR A DAY?
DON'T EVEN JOKE ABOUT THAT.
PLEASE!

DI- DON'T EVEN JOKE ABOUT THAT.
YOU WERE ABOUT TO SAY "DIE" WEREN'T YOU?!

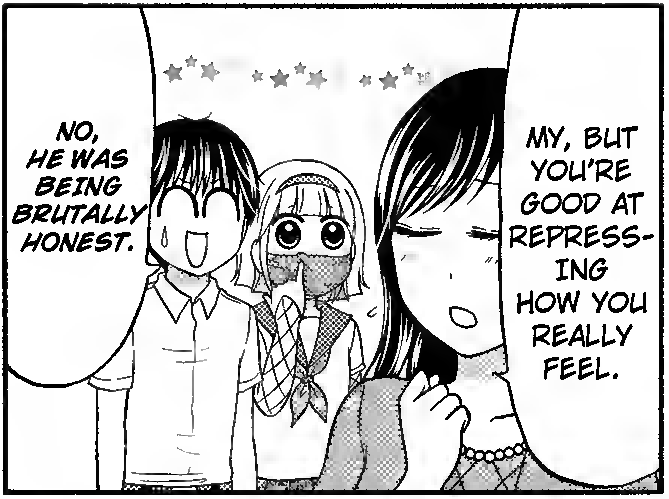
BE TRUE TO YOURSELF

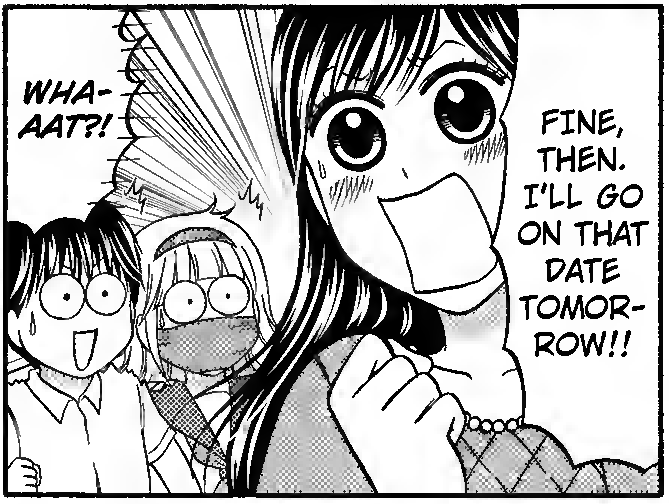

UP TO NOW YOU'VE ALWAYS ACTED THE WOMAN WHO KNOWS WHEN TO BACK OFF, BUT IT HASN'T EVER WORKED FOR YOU.
TAP TAP
YOU CAN'T GIVE UP HERE, AYA!

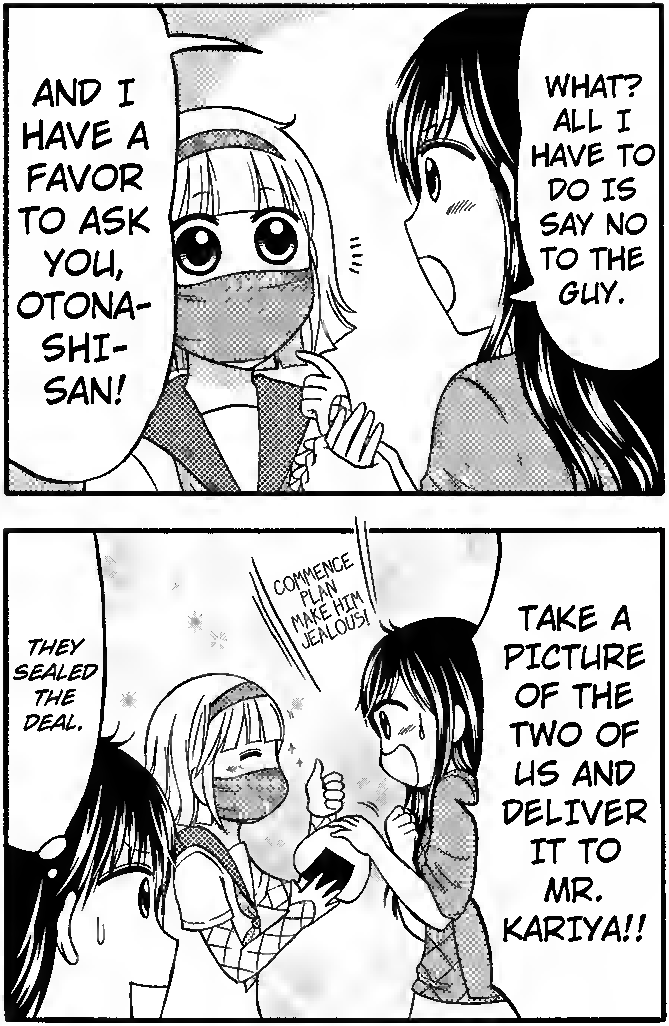

A WOMAN WHO DOESN'T KNOW WHEN TO QUIT, MS. KUNITACHI STYLE
YIKES
STOP THAT. WE'RE AT SCHOOL.
NO NO NO! ARE YOU SAYING YOU'RE OKAY WITH ME MARRYING ANOTHER MAN?!


FORGET WHAT THE WORLD THINKS AND BE TRUE TO YOUR FEELINGS.
MY FEEL-INGS ...
RIGHT!
HE SAID IT TRUE!!
I FEEL SICK!
LOVE

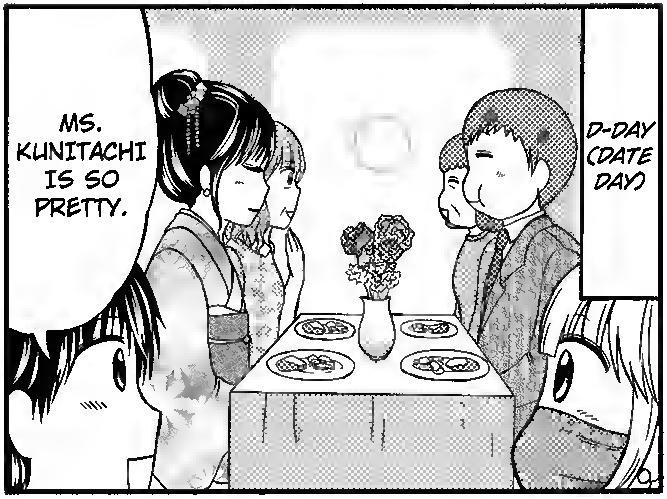
THE LAST RESORT

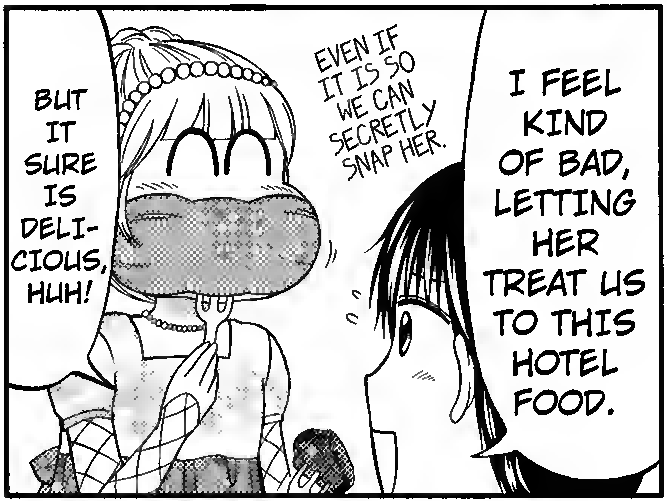


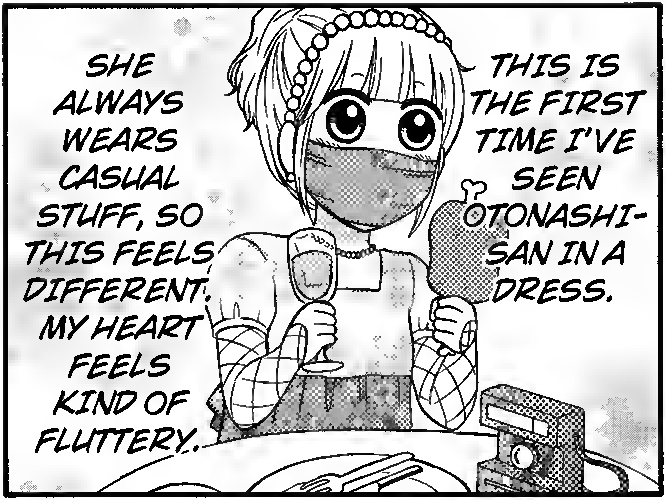


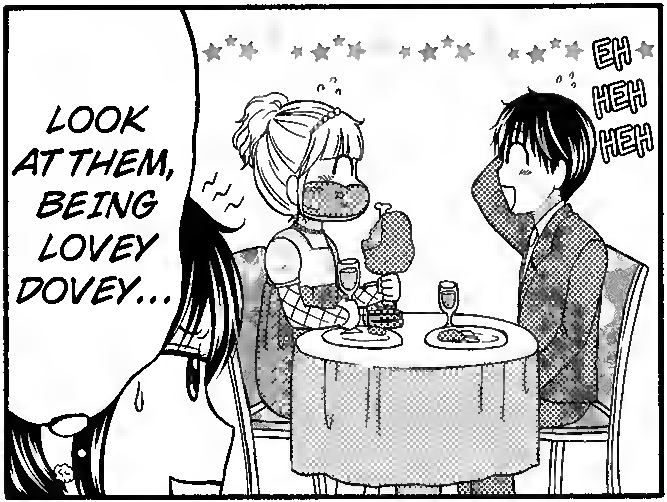

AND I HAVE A FAVOR TO ASK YOU, OTONA-SHI-SAN!
WHAT? ALL I HAVE TO DO IS SAY NO TO THE GUY.
COMMENCE PLAN MAKE HIM JEALOUS!
THEY SEALED THE DEAL.
TAKE A PICTURE OF THE TWO OF US AND DELIVER IT TO MR. KARIYA!!

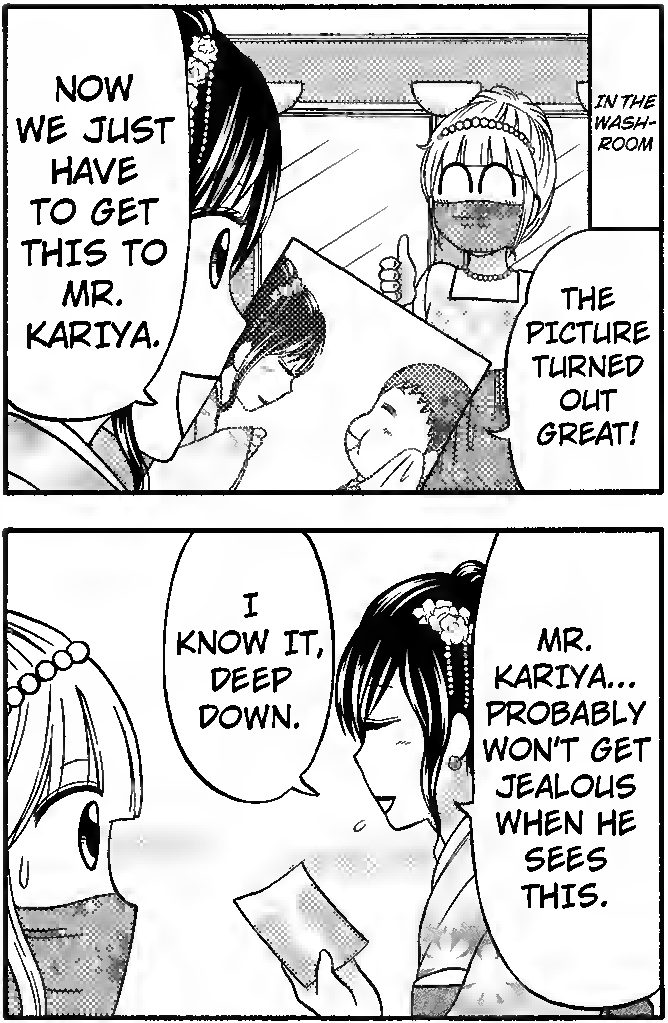
AND SO...


MS. KUNITACHI IS SO PRETTY.
D-DAY (DATE DAY)

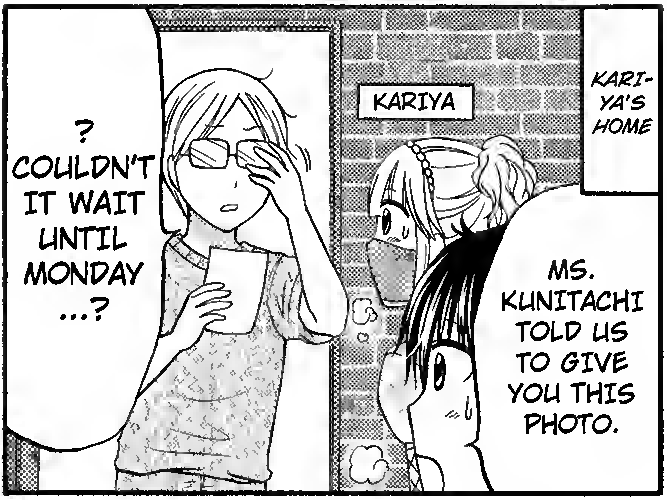

I FEEL KIND OF BAD, LETTING HER TREAT US TO THIS HOTEL FOOD.
EVEN IF IT IS SO WE CAN SECRETLY SNAP HER.
BUT IT SURE IS DELI-CIOUS, HUH!

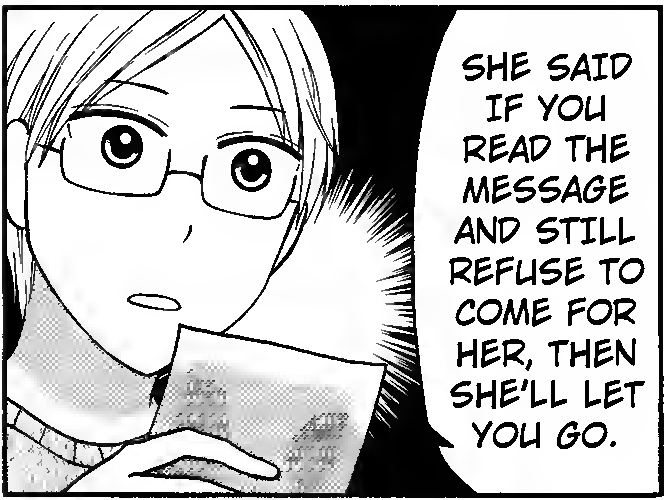

SHE ALWAYS WEARS CASUAL STUFF, SO THIS FEELS DIFFERENT. MY HEART FEELS KIND OF FLUTTERY..
THIS IS THE FIRST TIME I'VE SEEN OTONASHI-SAN IN A DRESS.

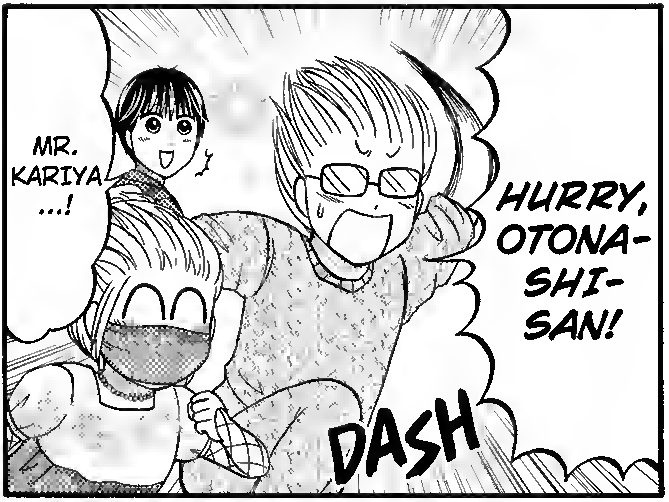

LOOK AT THEM, BEING LOVEY DOVEY...
EH HEH HEH

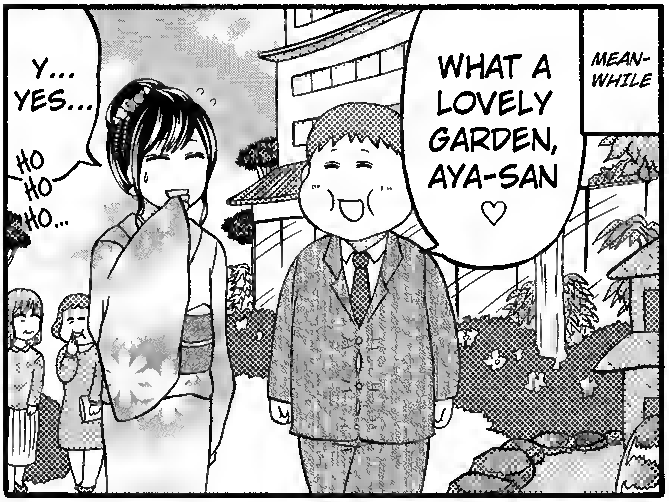

20 MINUTES LATER
IN THE WASH-ROOM
THE PICTURE TURNED OUT GREAT!
NOW WE JUST HAVE TO GET THIS TO MR. KARIYA.
MR. KARIYA... PROBABLY WON'T GET JEALOUS WHEN HE SEES THIS.
I KNOW IT, DEEP DOWN.

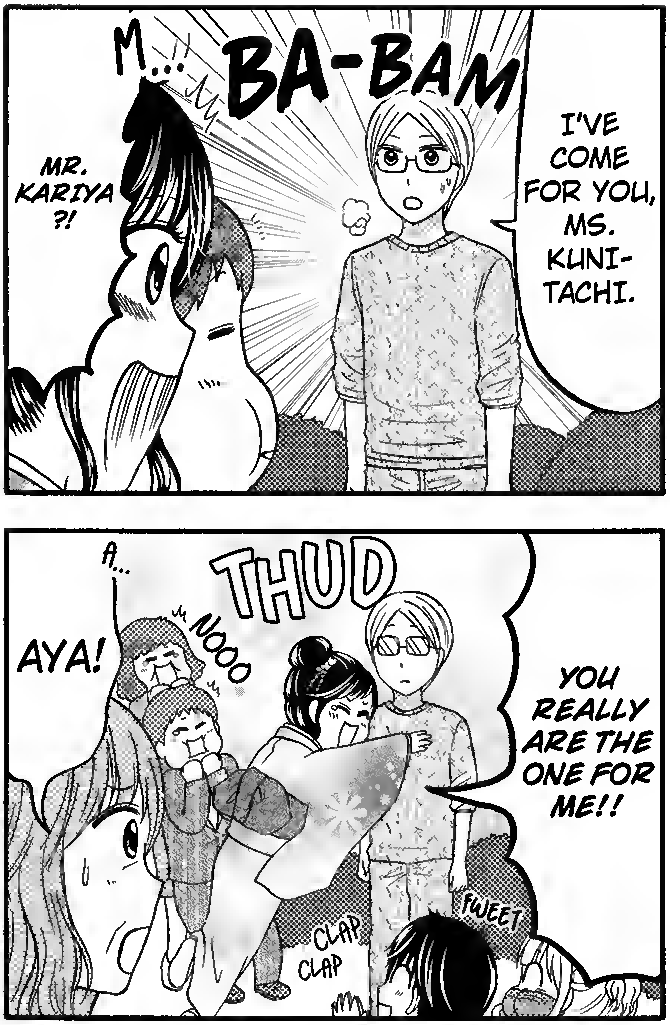
I WROTE A MESSAGE ON THE BACK OF THE PHOTO.
IF HE DOESN'T RESPOND TO IT... I'LL LET HIM GO.
WHOOSH
AAAH!
SLOW DOWN, OTONA-SHI-SAAAN!!

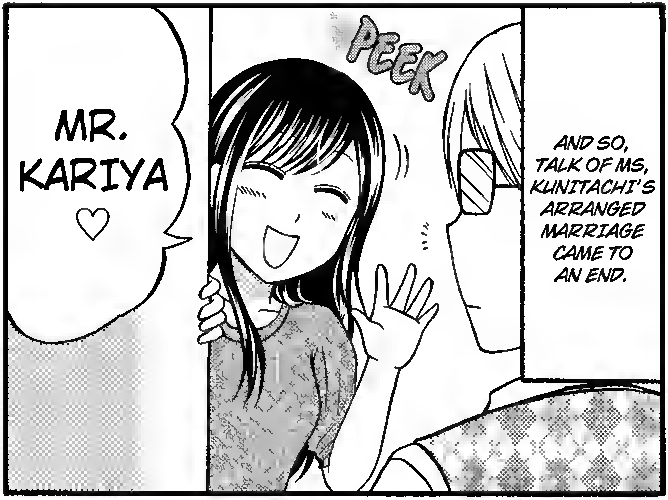

KARI-YA'S HOME
KARIYA
MS. KUNITACHI TOLD US TO GIVE YOU THIS PHOTO.
? COULDN'T IT WAIT UNTIL MONDAY ...?

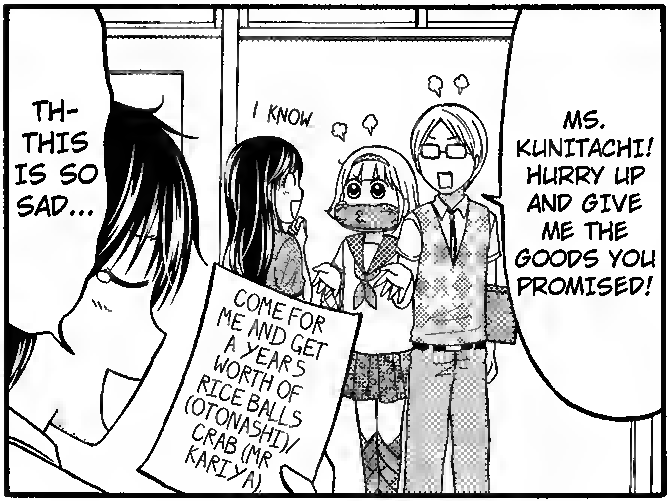

SHE SAID IF YOU READ THE MESSAGE AND STILL REFUSE TO COME FOR HER, THEN SHE'LL LET YOU GO.


MR. KARIYA ...!
HURRY, OTONA-SHI-SAN!
DASH


Y... YES...
HO HO HO...
WHAT A LOVELY GARDEN, AYA-SAN ♡
MEAN-WHILE


M...
BA-BAM
MR. KARIYA ?!
I'VE COME FOR YOU, MS. KUNI-TACHI.
A...
THUD
AYA!
NOOO
YOU REALLY ARE THE ONE FOR ME!!
CLAP CLAP
FWEET


PEEK
MR. KARIYA ♡
AND SO, TALK OF MS. KUNITACHI'S ARRANGED MARRIAGE CAME TO AN END.


TH-THIS IS SO SAD...
I KNOW
COME FOR ME AND GET A YEAR'S WORTH OF RICE BALLS (OTONASHI)/ CRAB (MR KARIYA)
MS. KUNITACHI! HURRY UP AND GIVE ME THE GOODS YOU PROMISED!

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FILE 57: GONE RICE BALLS

HIGH SCHOOL NINJA GIRL
OTONASHI-SAN

MASAMI WATABE
TRANSLATION BY NINA MATSUSHIMA
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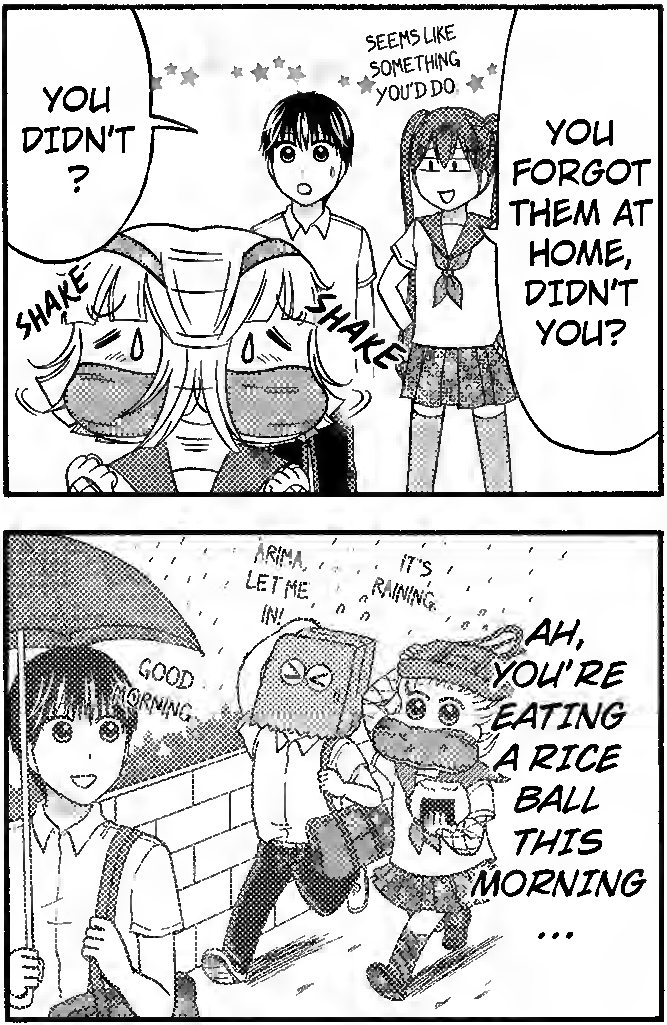
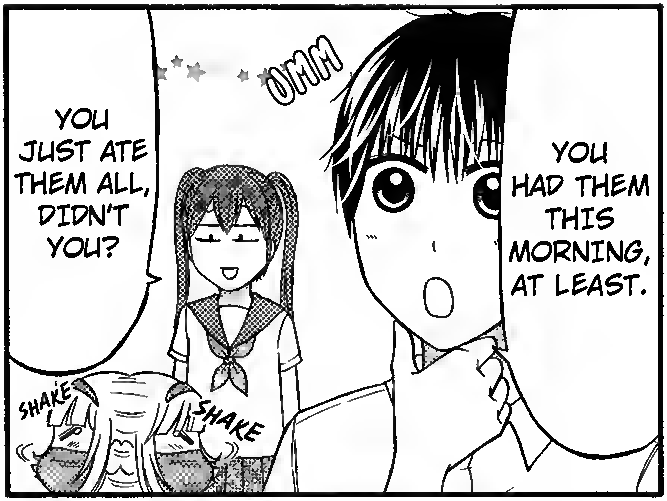
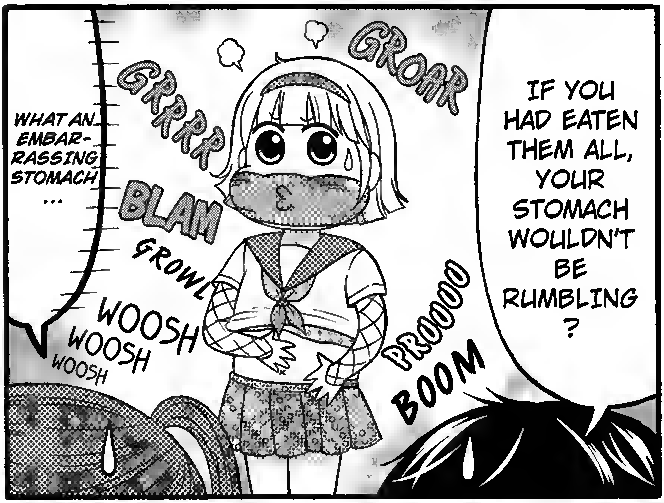
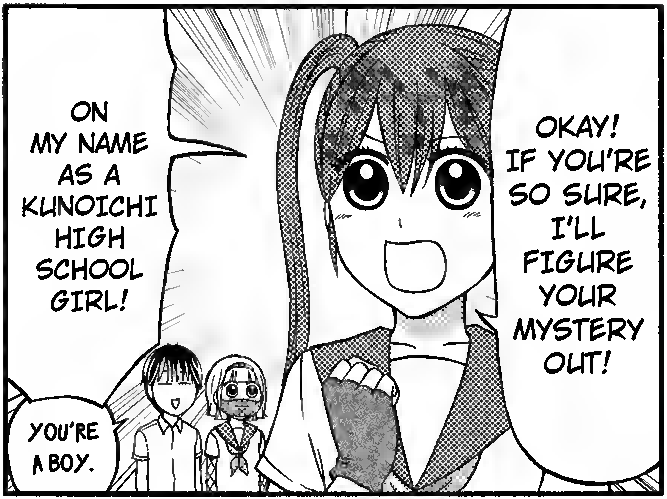
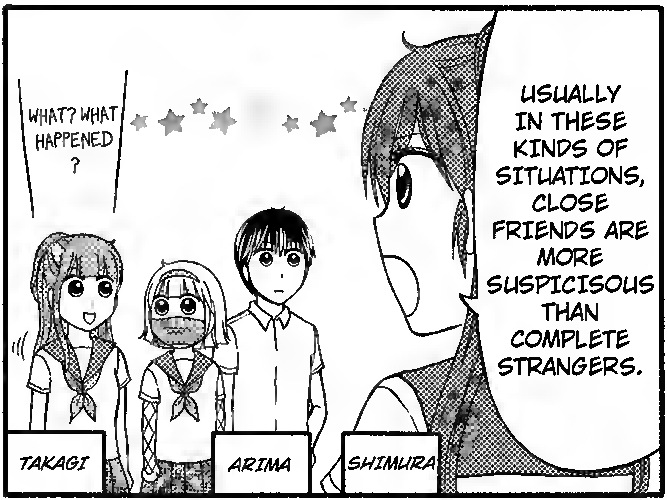


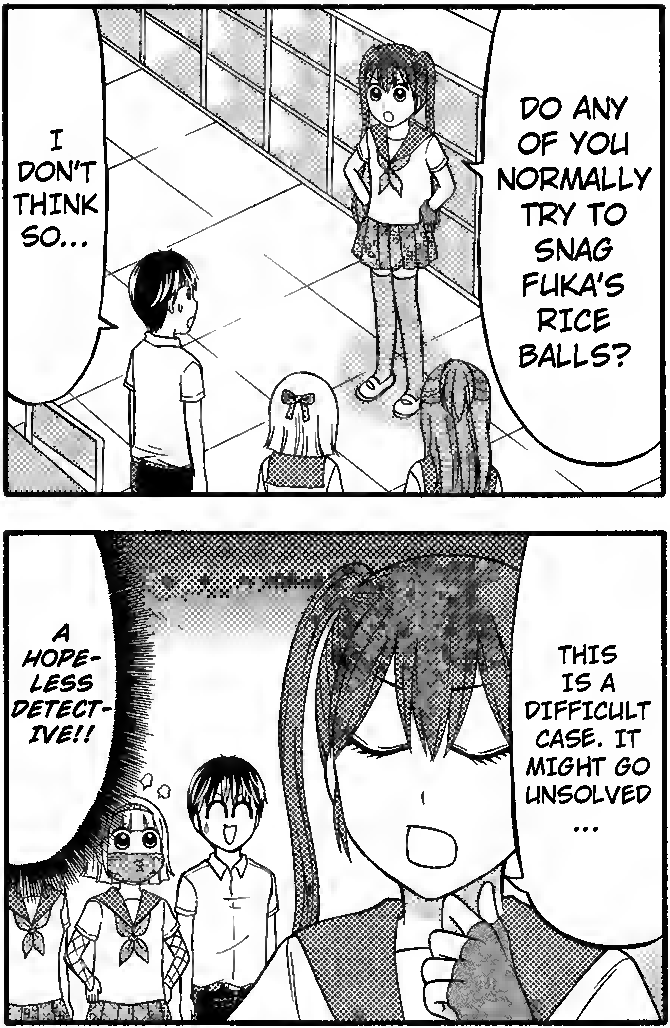

OMM
YOU HAD THEM THIS MORNING, AT LEAST.
YOU JUST ATE THEM ALL, DIDN'T YOU?
SHAKE
SHAKE


GROAR
GRRRR
BLAM
GROWL
WOOSH
WOOSH
WOOSH
PROOOO
BOOM
WHAT AN EMBARRASSING STOMACH ...
IF YOU HAD EATEN THEM ALL, YOUR STOMACH WOULDN'T BE RUMBLING?

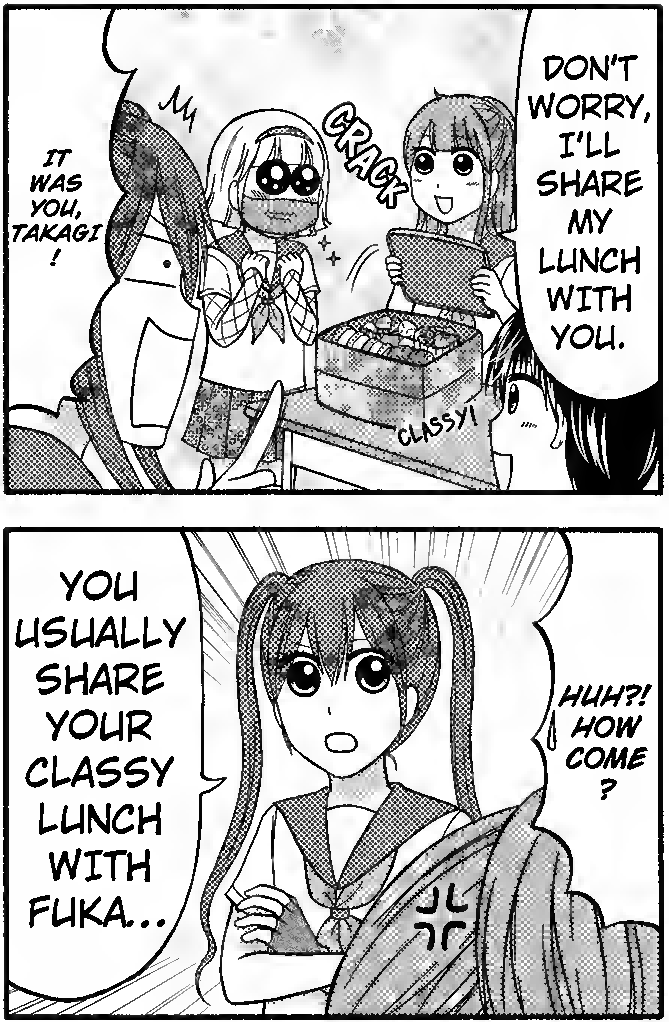
ARE THEY REALLY GONE?

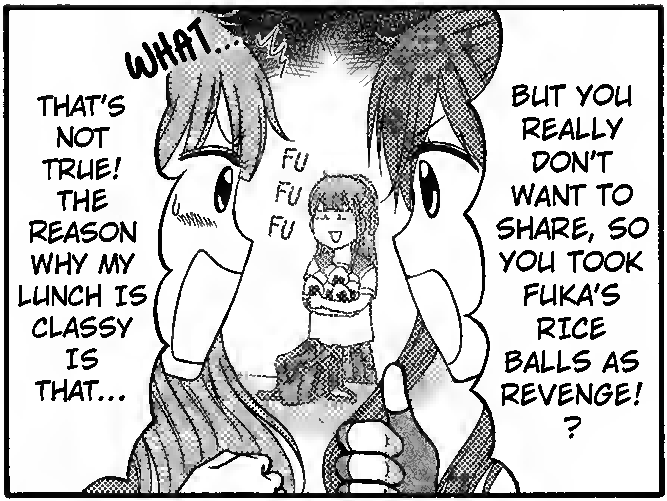


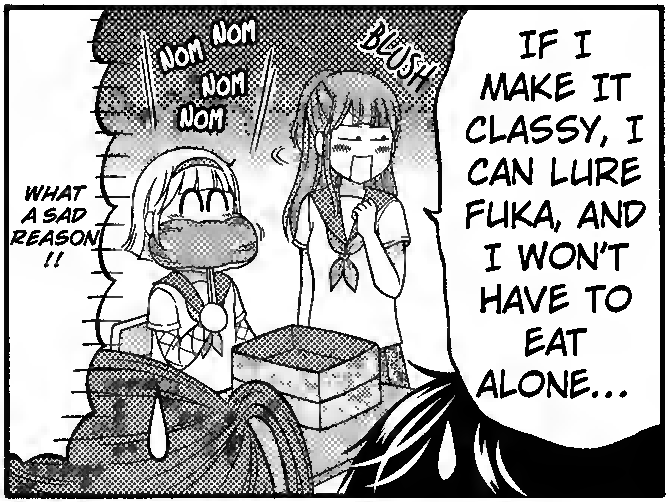

WHAT? WHAT HAPPENED ?
USUALLY IN THESE KINDS OF SITUATIONS, CLOSE FRIENDS ARE MORE SUSPICISOUS THAN COMPLETE STRANGERS.
TAKAGI
ARIMA
SHIMURA


DO ANY OF YOU NORMALLY TRY TO SNAG FUKA'S RICE BALLS?
I DON'T THINK SO...
THIS IS A DIFFICULT CASE. IT MIGHT GO UNSOLVED ...
A HOPE-LESS DETECT-IVE!!

YOU'RE THE CRIMINAL! 1

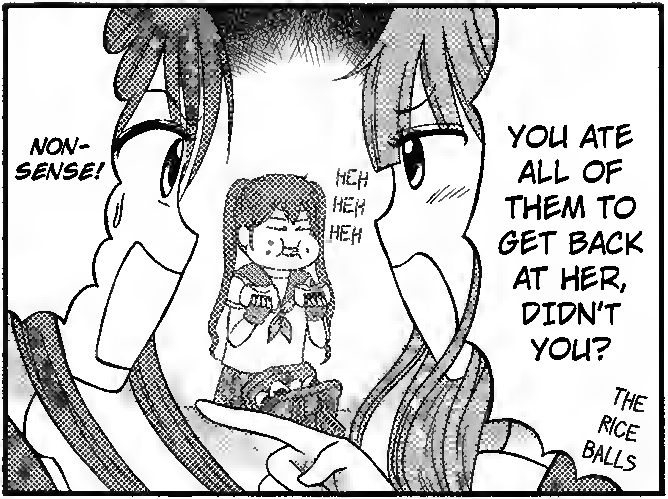

DON'T WORRY, I'LL SHARE MY LUNCH WITH YOU.
CRACK
IT WAS YOU, TAKAGI!
CLASSY!
HUH?! HOW COME?
YOU USUALLY SHARE YOUR CLASSY LUNCH WITH FUKA...

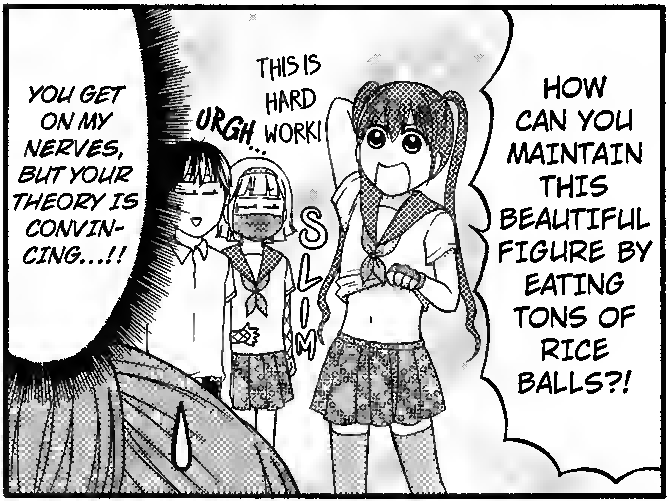

WHAT...
THAT'S NOT TRUE! THE REASON WHY MY LUNCH IS CLASSY IS THAT...
FU FU FU
BUT YOU REALLY DON'T WANT TO SHARE, SO YOU TOOK FUKA'S RICE BALLS AS REVENGE!?


NOM NOM NOM NOM
BLUSH
WHAT A SAD REASON!!
IF I MAKE IT CLASSY, I CAN LURE FUKA, AND I WON'T HAVE TO EAT ALONE...

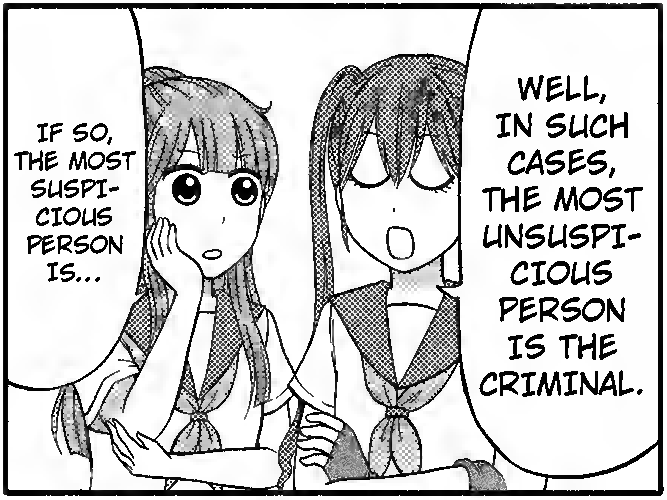
YOU'RE THE CRIMINAL! 2

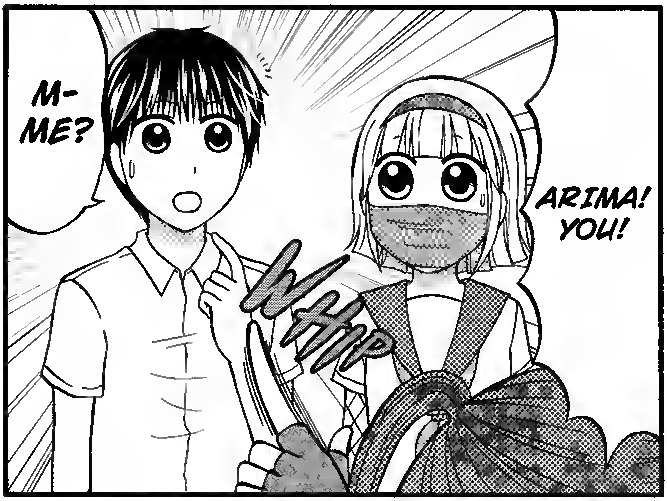
WHAT ?!
WHIP
WHAT ABOUT YOU, SHIMURA-KUN? YOU'RE ALSO SUSPI-CIOUS!
DAMN...
YOU'RE ALWAYS GETTING BEATEN UP BY HER.
I MEAN YOU FIGHT LIKE CATS AND DOGS WITH FUKA.


NON-SENSE!
HEH HEH HEH
YOU ATE ALL OF THEM TO GET BACK AT HER, DIDN'T YOU?
THE RICE BALLS

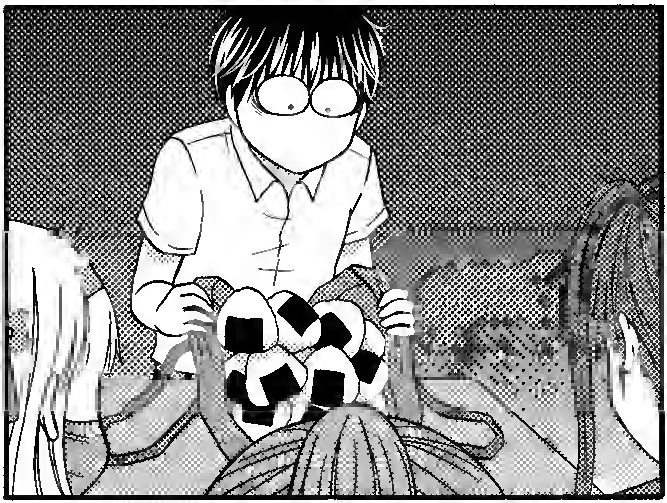

YOU GET ON MY NERVES, BUT YOUR THEORY IS CONVINCING...!!
URGH...
THIS IS HARD WORK!
SLIM
HOW CAN YOU MAINTAIN THIS BEAUTIFUL FIGURE BY EATING TONS OF RICE BALLS?!

DID YOU DO IT?

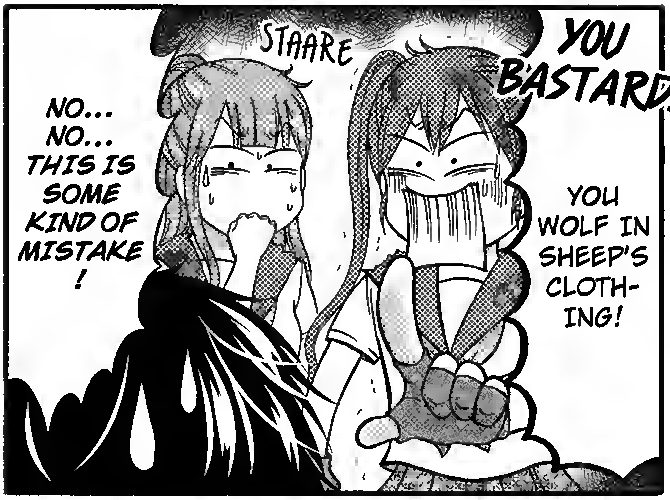

WELL, IN SUCH CASES, THE MOST UNSUSPI-CIOUS PERSON IS THE CRIMINAL.
IF SO, THE MOST SUSPI-CIOUS PERSON IS...

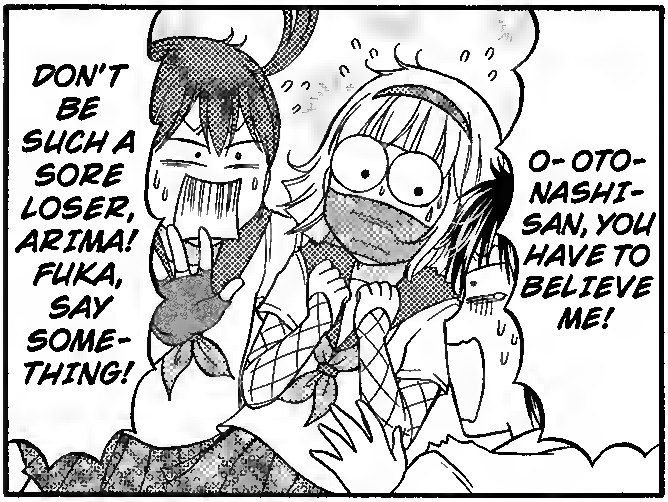

M-ME?
ARIMA! YOU!
WHAT

I CAN SHOW YOU THE INSIDE MY BAG, IF YOU WANT.
RUSTLE RUSTLE
A HA HA
BUT ARIMA-KUN CAN'T BE THE CRIMINAL.
YOU'RE RIGHT



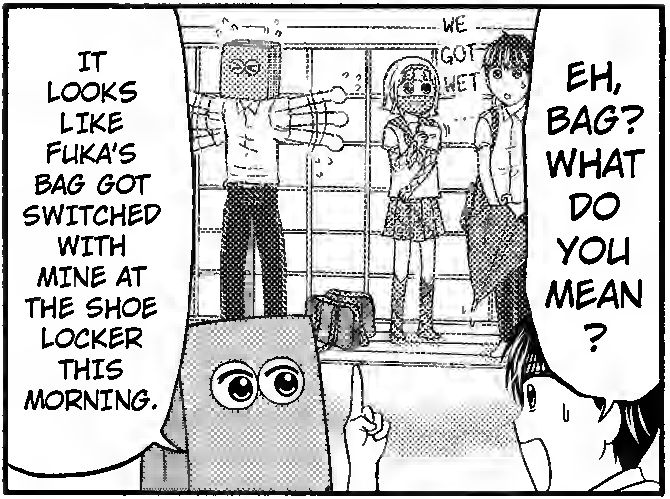
WHY DID YOU DO IT?

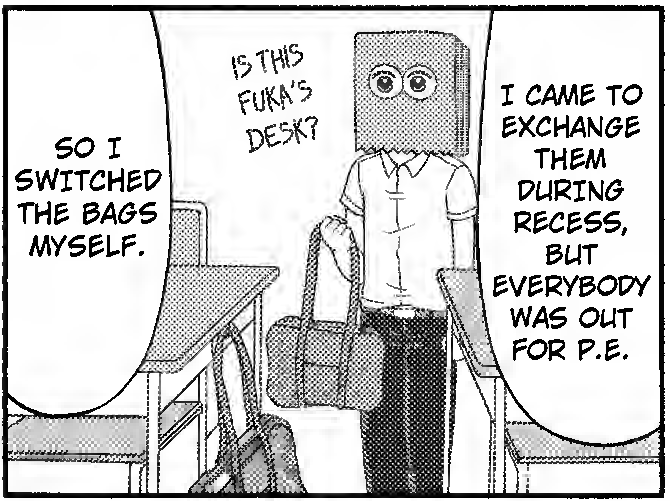


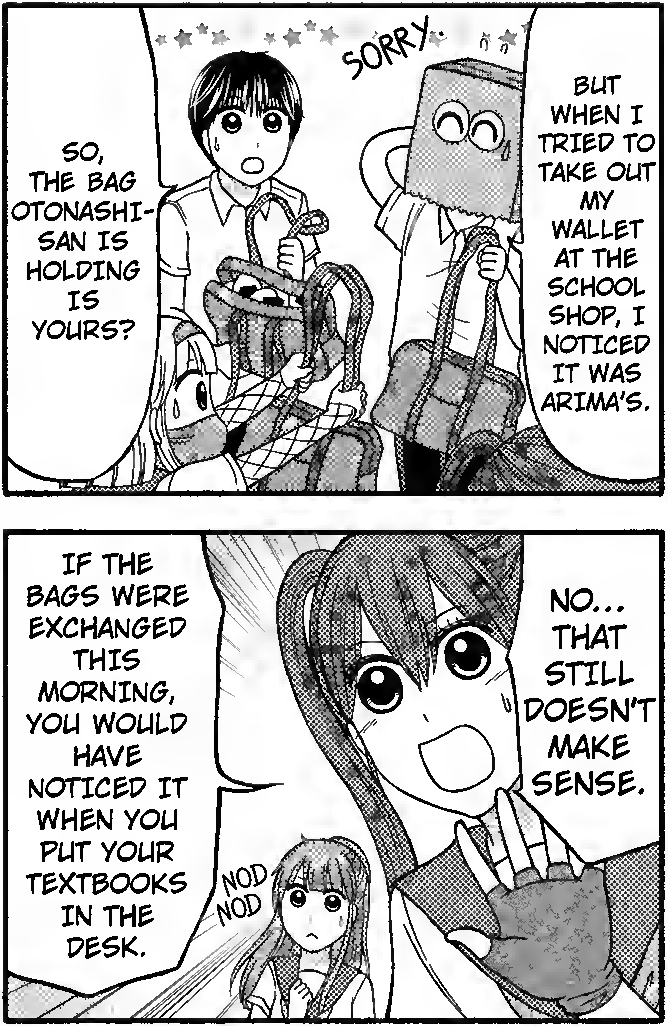


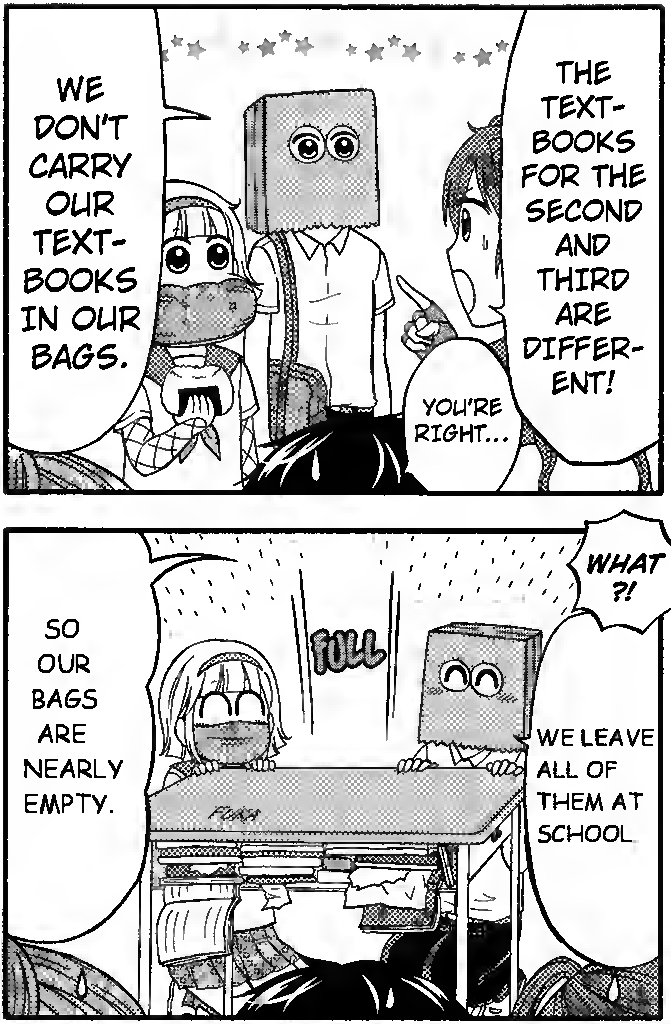
POW
WHY ?!
SLIDE
BASH
BASH
I TRIED TO SOLVE YOUR CASE FOR YOU!
ARIMA... FUKA... WE NEED TO CHANGE BAGS.
BOTH OF YOU!
STOP IT!

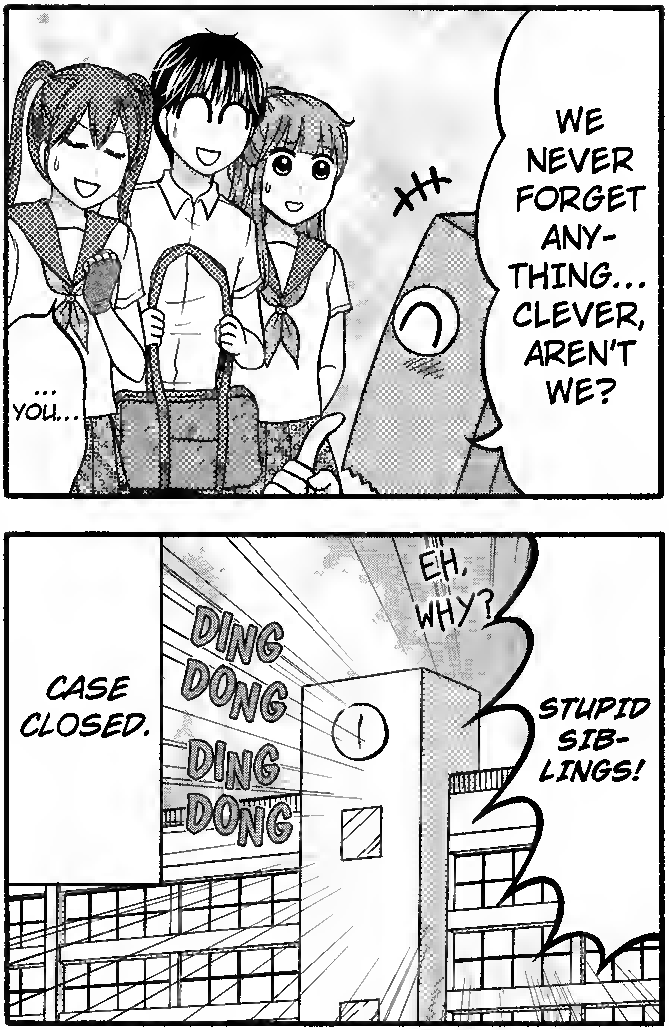
THE TRUTH


EH, BAG? WHAT DO YOU MEAN?
WE GOT WET
IT LOOKS LIKE FUKA'S BAG GOT SWITCHED WITH MINE AT THE SHOE LOCKER THIS MORNING.


I CAME TO EXCHANGE THEM DURING RECESS, BUT EVERYBODY WAS OUT FOR P.E.
IS THIS FUKA'S DESK?
SO I SWITCHED THE BAGS MYSELF.


SORRY
BUT WHEN I TRIED TO TAKE OUT MY WALLET AT THE SCHOOL SHOP, I NOTICED IT WAS ARIMA'S.
SO, THE BAG OTONASHI-SAN IS HOLDING IS YOURS?
NO... THAT STILL DOESN'T MAKE SENSE.
IF THE BAGS WERE EXCHANGED THIS MORNING, YOU WOULD HAVE NOTICED IT WHEN YOU PUT YOUR TEXTBOOKS IN THE DESK.
NOD NOD


WE DON'T CARRY OUR TEXT-BOOKS IN OUR BAGS.
THE TEXT-BOOKS FOR THE SECOND AND THIRD ARE DIFFER-ENT!
YOU'RE RIGHT...
SO OUR BAGS ARE NEARLY EMPTY.
FULL
WHAT ?!
WE LEAVE ALL OF THEM AT SCHOOL


WE NEVER FORGET ANY-THING... CLEVER, AREN'T WE?
...YOU...
EH, WHY?
DING DONG DING DONG
CASE CLOSED.
STUPID SIB-LINGS!

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I'LL THROW IN A HUNDRED YEARS WORTH OF RICE BALLS.
WAIT, FUKA!
I ONLY EVER HAD EYES FOR HER, BUT...
BUT YOU STILL LOVE HIM, YOU SAY?!
MWA HA HA HA!
STOP! I WON'T TAKE IT!
DUUN
SHOCK
SHE SAID IT GLEEFULLY BECAUSE HE DIDN'T MEAN HER.
SEE EPISODE 51

FUKA OTONASHI.
THE ONE AND ONLY GIRL WHO PROMISED TO MARRY ME IN KINDERGARTEN.
KAEDE TOGAWA, TOGAKUSHI NINJA

I CAN'T BELIEVE IT. HOW COULD A RICH, GOOD LOOKING GUY LIKE ME LOSE?
I WON'T FORGET THIS, ARIMA…!!
GRR
WE'RE IN THE MIDDLE OF CLASS, TOGAWA.
BAM
YOU AGREE WITH ME, RIGHT BUTLER?!
HIGH SCHOOL NINJA GIRL
OTONASHI-SAN
MASAMI WATABE
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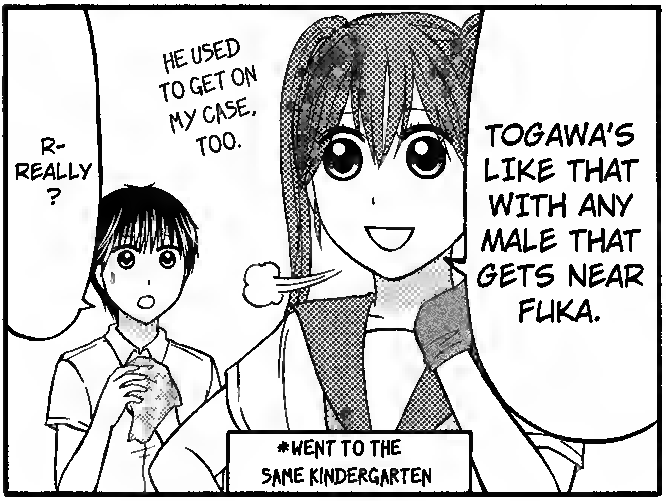
EPISODE 58:
TOGAWA AND HIS BUTLER

THE DANGEROUS ONE



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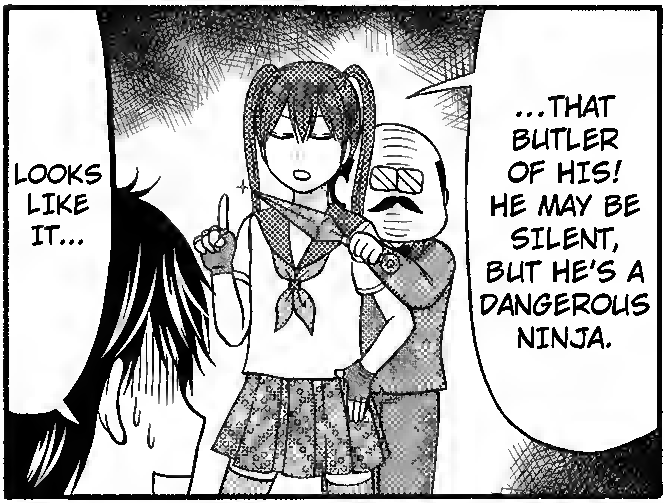
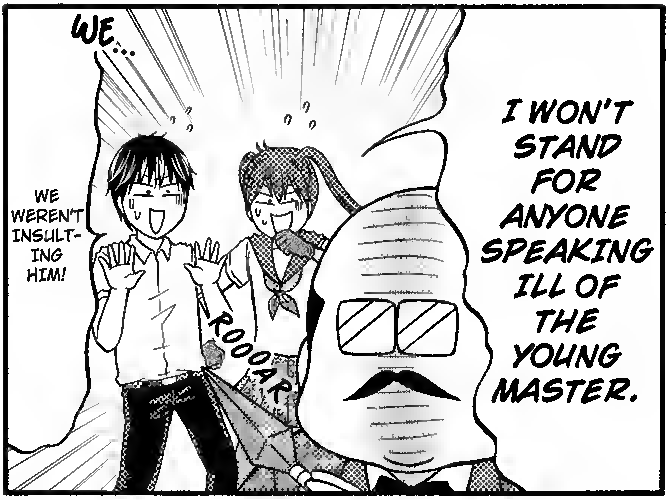
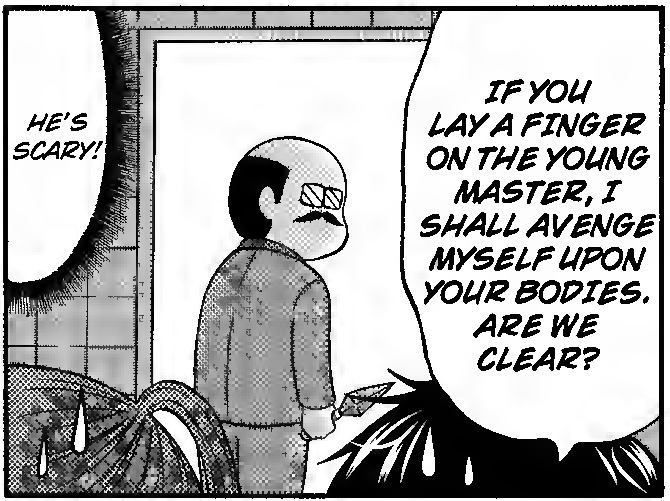
TOGAWA'S A WEAKLING, BUT WHAT MAKES HIM DANGEROUS IS...
SHIMURA, AGE 6
GO AWAY! I HATE HER!
CLUNK
KEI SHIMURA! YOU'RE TOO CLOSE TO FUKA! DO YOU LIKE HER OR SOMETHING ?!

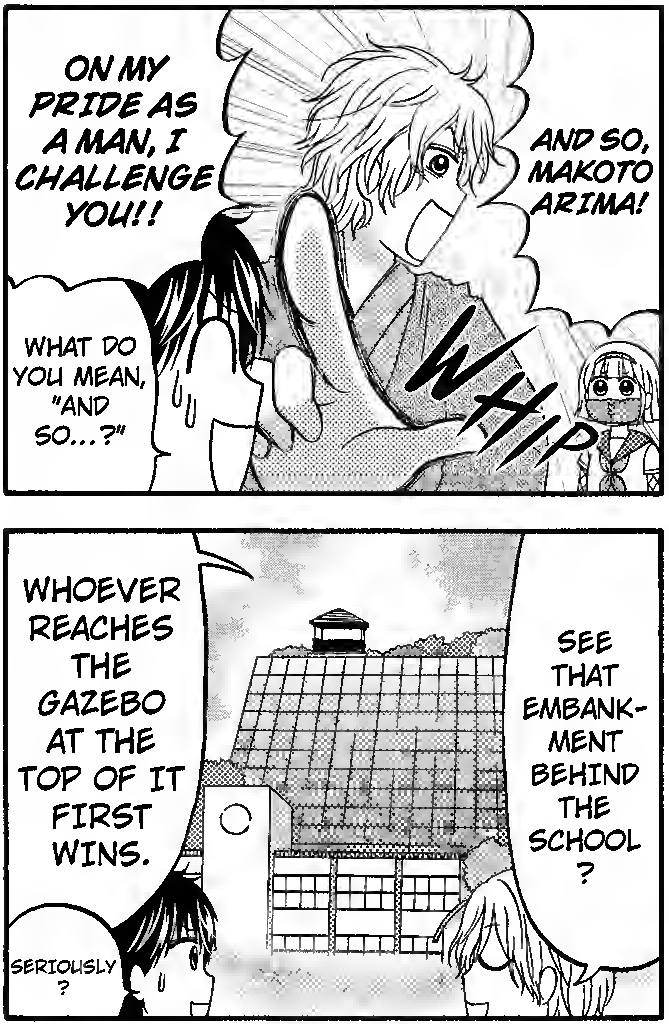

LOOKS LIKE IT...
...THAT BUTLER OF HIS! HE MAY BE SILENT, BUT HE'S A DANGEROUS NINJA.

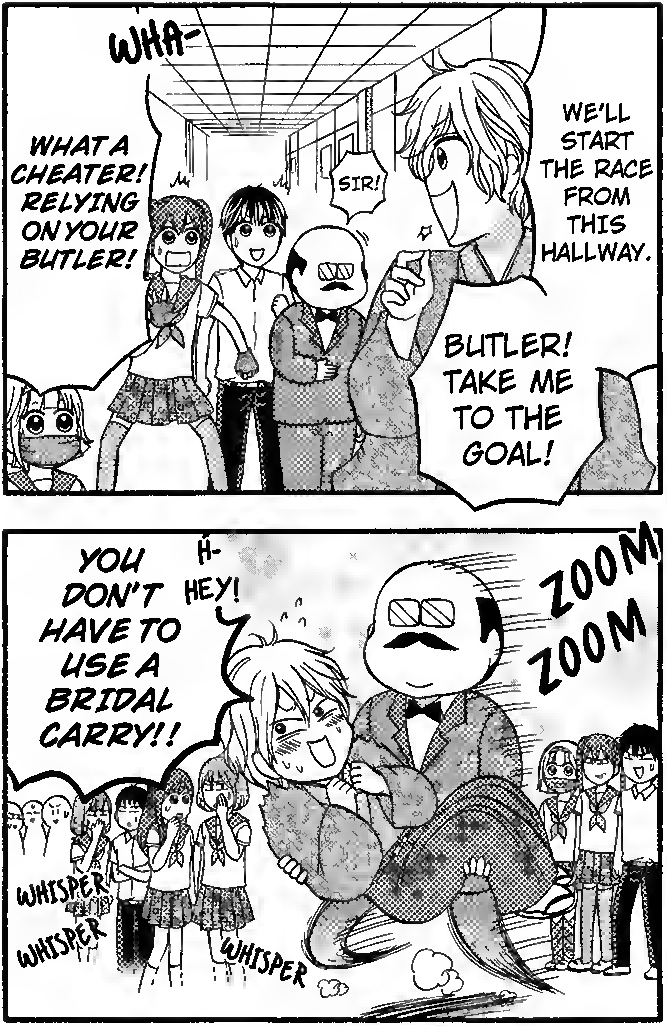
BEWARE OF THE BUTLER





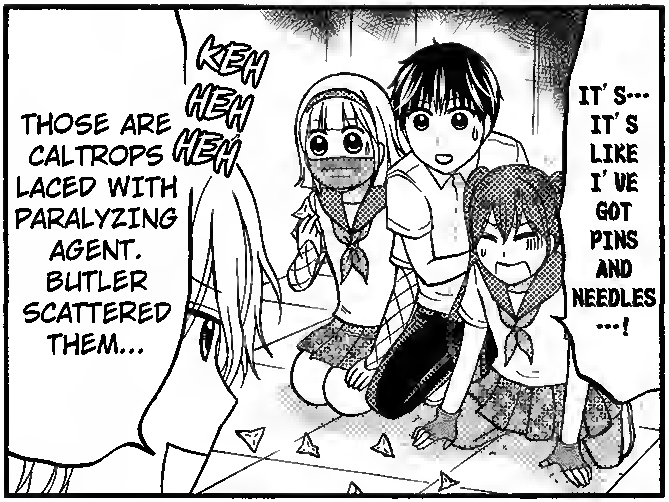
HEY, SOME-ONE'S LAYING A FINGER ON HIM ALREADY ...
SLAP SLAP
SLAP WHAP SLAP
FUKA! WHY ARE YOU ANGRY? STOP! STOP IT!
PERVERT ---!
OOH!
GASP PANT
SLAP SLAAP
THE YOUNG MASTER IS ENJOYING HIMSELF, SO IT'S ALL RIGHT?

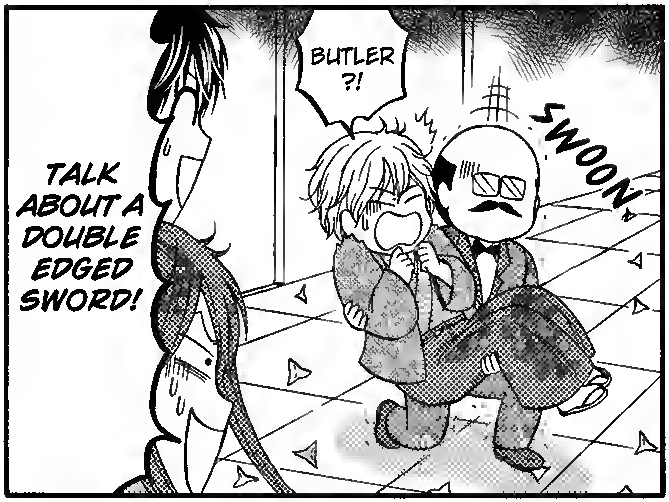

WHAT'S THIS ALL OF A SUDDEN?
ON MY PRIDE AS A MAN, I CHALLENGE YOU!!
AND SO, MAKOTO ARIMA!
WHIP
WHAT DO YOU MEAN, "AND SO...?"
SEE THAT EMBANK-MENT BEHIND THE SCHOOL?
WHOEVER REACHES THE GAZEBO AT THE TOP OF IT FIRST WINS.
SERIOUSLY?


WHA-
WHAT A CHEATER! RELYING ON YOUR BUTLER!
SIR!
WE'LL START THE RACE FROM THIS HALLWAY.
BUTLER! TAKE ME TO THE GOAL!
H-
HEY!
YOU DON'T HAVE TO USE A BRIDAL CARRY!!
ZOOM
ZOOM
WHISPER
WHISPER
WHISPER

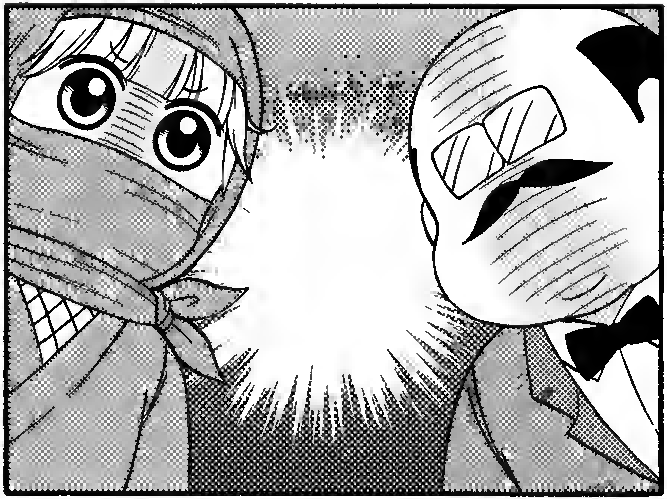
A SKILLED NINJA

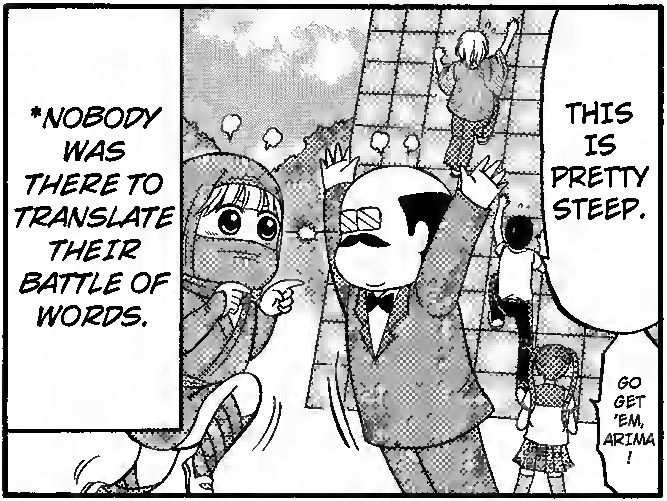
WH... ARE YOU OKAY, SHIMURA?!
LIFT
IF THEY'RE GOING TO RESORT TO THAT, THEN SO CAN WE! COME ON, ARIMA!
WH-WHAT'S WRONG, SHI-MURA ?!
TOTTER
I AM A NINJA, EVEN IF I DO LOOK LIKE THIS...
UPRIGHT


IT'S··· IT'S LIKE I'VE GOT PINS AND NEEDLES ···!
KEH HEH HEH
THOSE ARE CALTROPS LACED WITH PARALYZING AGENT. BUTLER SCATTERED THEM...

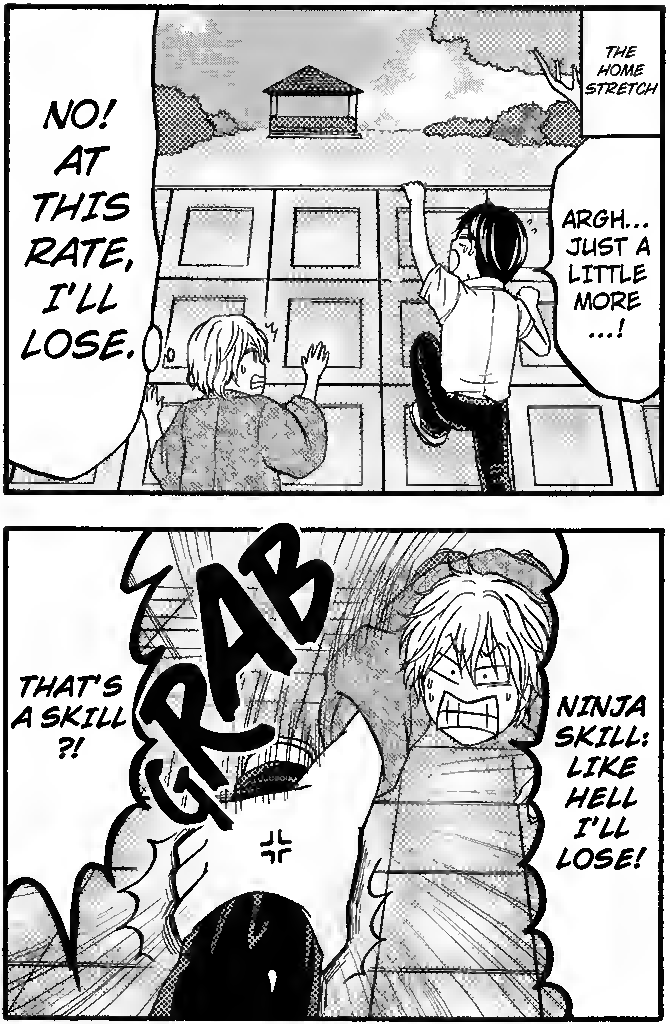

BUTLER ?!
SWOON
TALK ABOUT A DOUBLE EDGED SWORD!

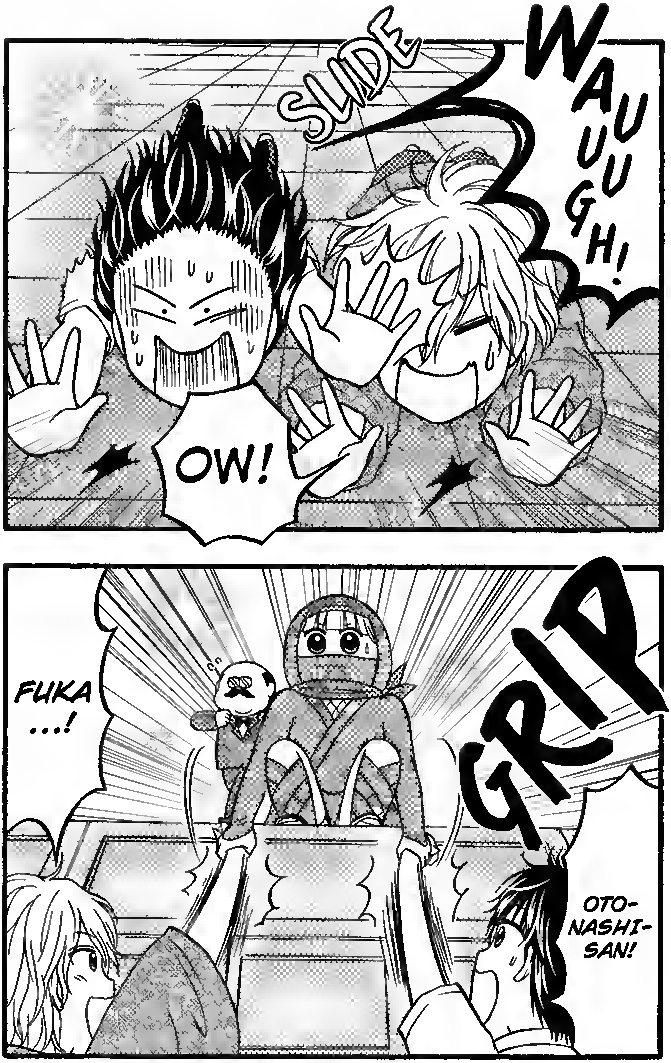
AND SO...
HUFF PUFF
TWO MINUTES LATER
UGH
THEY'RE BEATING US! FUKA! GO DISTRACT THEM!
DASH
SIR!
NOW TO CLIMB... BUTLER! I'LL LEAVE THEM TO YOU!
TMP



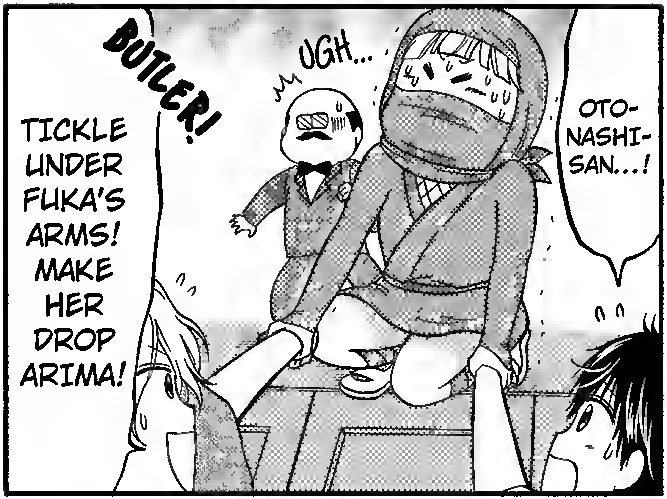

*NOBODY WAS THERE TO TRANSLATE THEIR BATTLE OF WORDS.
THIS IS PRETTY STEEP.
GO GET 'EM, ARIMA!

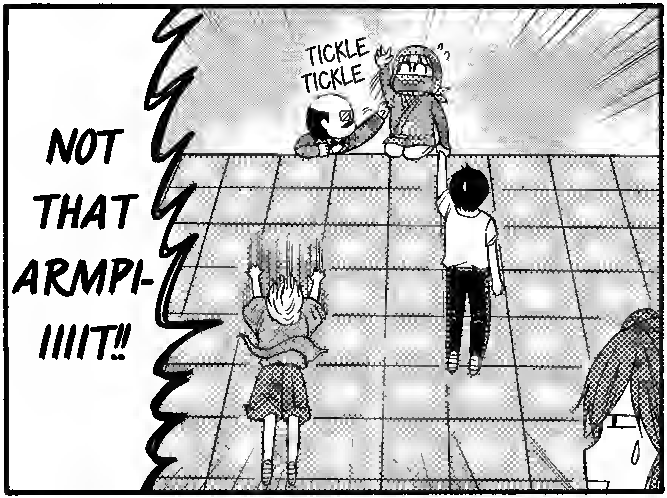
WE ALL FALL DOWN?

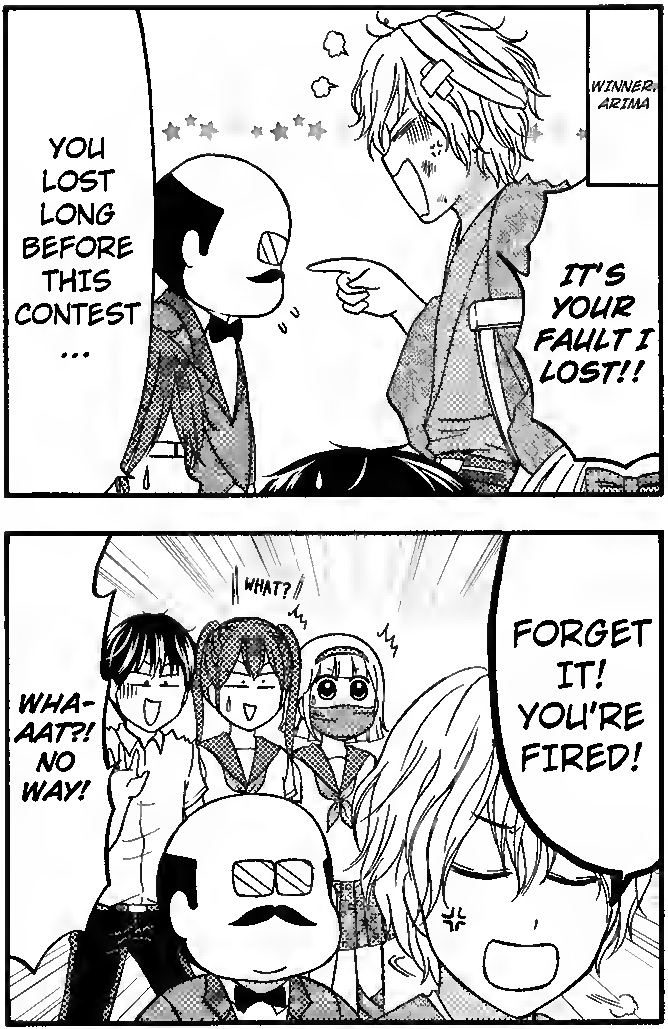



SLIDE
WAUUGH!
OW!
FUKA ...!
GRIP
OTO-NASHI-SAN!

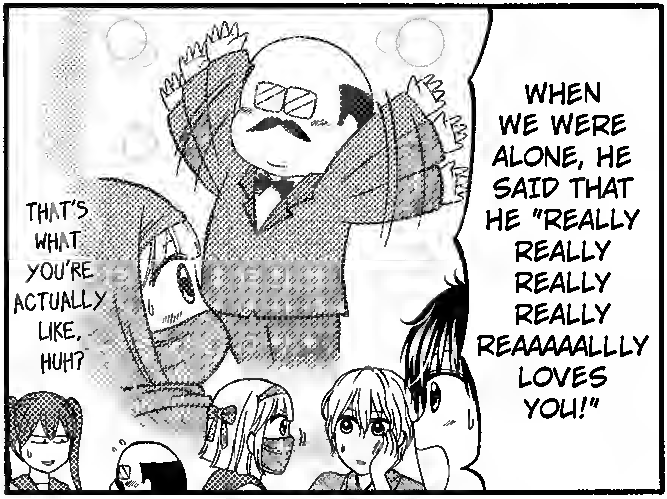
THE ACE UP HIS SLEEVE

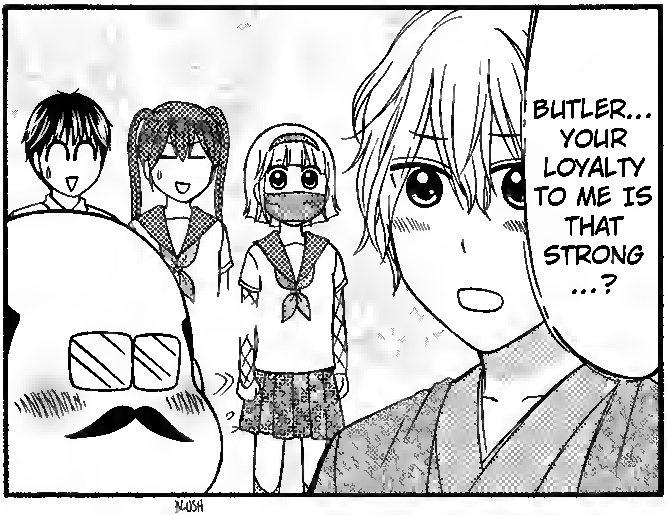





WINNER: ARIMA
IT'S YOUR FAULT I LOST!!
YOU LOST LONG BEFORE THIS CONTEST ...
FORGET IT! YOU'RE FIRED!
WHAT?!
WHA-AAT?! NO WAY!

FUKA ...!!
SLAAAP
YOUR BUTLER WAS WORKING IN YOUR BEST INTER-ESTS!


THAT'S WHAT YOU'RE ACTUALLY LIKE, HUH?
WHEN WE WERE ALONE, HE SAID THAT HE "REALLY REALLY REALLY REALLY REAAAAALLLY LOVES YOU!"



⇒NEXT EPISODE⇐ THE CHARISMATIC SALES CLERK SUZUKI, FINALLY GETS PROMOTION?!

MangaBox

EPISODE 59: THE DEFINITION OF CUSTOMER SERVICE

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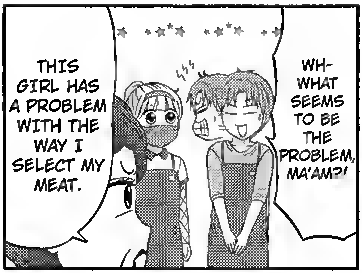
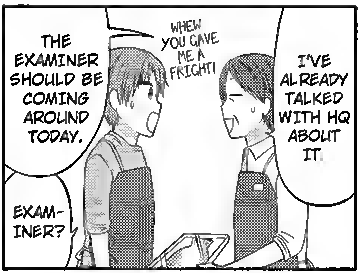
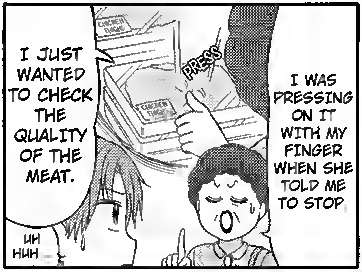
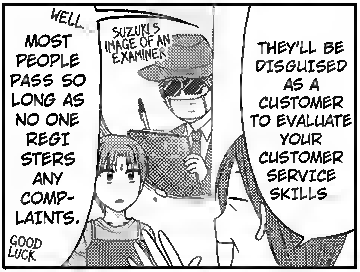
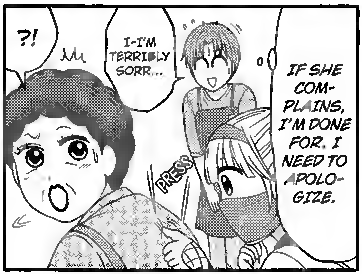
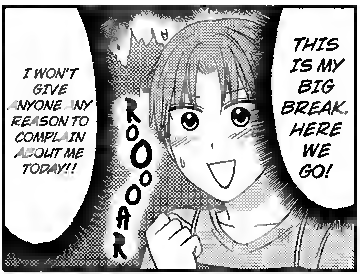

THIS GIRL HAS A PROBLEM WITH THE WAY I SELECT MY MEAT.
WH-WHAT SEEMS TO BE THE PROBLEM, MA'AM?!

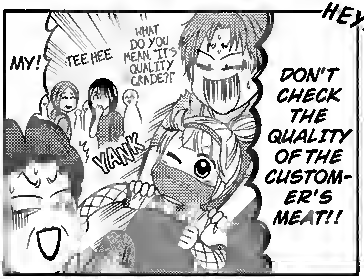

THE EXAMINER SHOULD BE COMING AROUND TODAY.
WHEW YOU GAVE ME A FRIGHT!
I'VE ALREADY TALKED WITH HQ ABOUT IT.
EXAMINER?

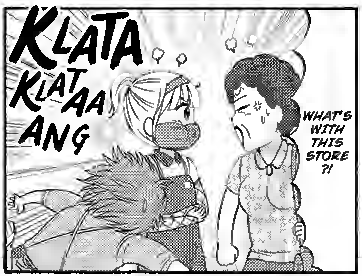

I JUST WANTED TO CHECK THE QUALITY OF THE MEAT.
I WAS PRESSING ON IT WITH MY FINGER WHEN SHE TOLD ME TO STOP.
PRESS
UH HUH

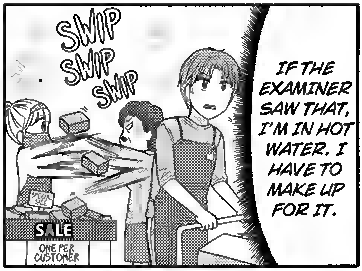

WELL MOST PEOPLE PASS SO LONG AS NO ONE REGISTERS ANY COMPLAINTS.
SUZUKI'S IMAGE OF AN EXAMINER
THEY'LL BE DISGUISED AS A CUSTOMER TO EVALUATE YOUR CUSTOMER SERVICE SKILLS
GOOD LUCK

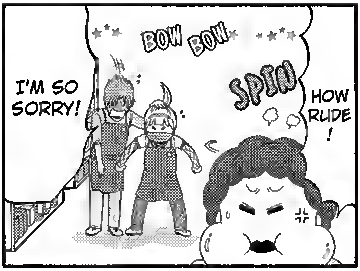

?!
I-I'M TERRIBLY SORR...
IF SHE COMPLAINS, I'M DONE FOR. I NEED TO APOLOGIZE.
PRESS

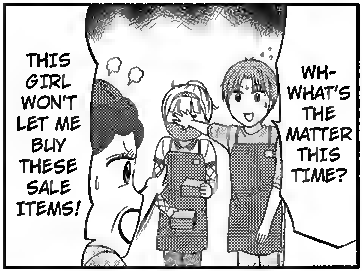

I WON'T GIVE ANYONE ANY REASON TO COMPLAIN ABOUT ME TODAY!!
ROOOAR
THIS IS MY BIG BREAK. HERE WE GO!


HEY!!
MY!
TEE HEE
WHAT DO YOU MEAN, IT'S QUALITY GRADE?!
HAHK
DON'T CHECK THE QUALITY OF THE CUSTOMER'S MEAT!!

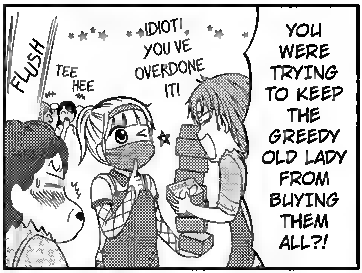

KLATA KLATAANG
WHAT'S WITH THIS STORE?!

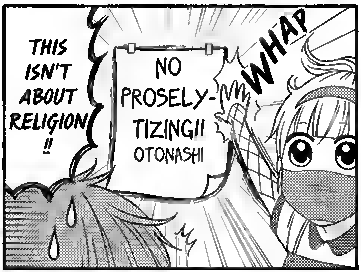

SWIP
SWIP
SWIP
SALE
ONE PER CUSTOMER
IF THE EXAMINER SAW THAT, I'M IN HOT WATER. I HAVE TO MAKE UP FOR IT.

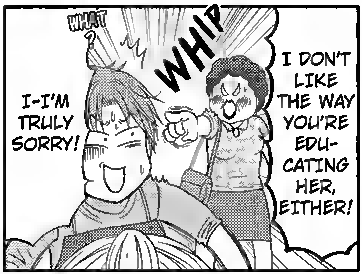

BOW BOW!
I'M SO SORRY!
SPEW
HOW RUDE!

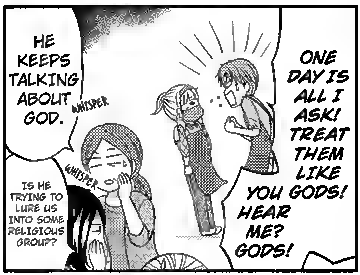

THIS GIRL WON'T LET ME BUY THESE SALE ITEMS!
WH-WHAT'S THE MATTER THIS TIME?

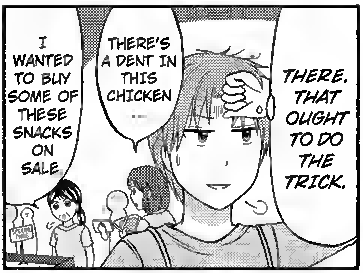
WHIP
TREAT THE CUSTOMERS LIKE GODS!!
SUZUKI
DAMN IT, HIGH SCHOOL GIRL, ARE YOU TRYING TO GET ME IN TROUBLE?!

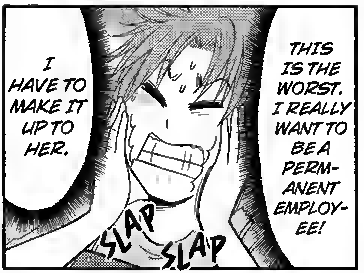

FLUSH
TEE HEE
IDIOT! YOU'VE OVERDONE IT!
YOU WERE TRYING TO KEEP THE GREEDY OLD LADY FROM BUYING THEM ALL?!

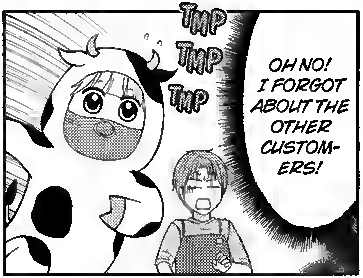

THIS ISN'T ABOUT RELIGION!!
NO PROSELY-TIZING!!
OTONASHI
WHAP


WHAT?
WHIP
I-I'M TRULY SORRY!
I DON'T LIKE THE WAY YOU'RE EDU-CATING HER, EITHER!

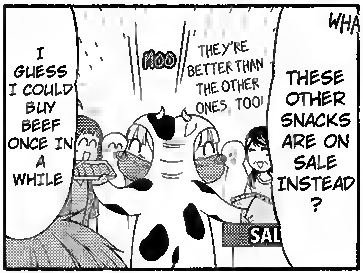

HE KEEPS TALKING ABOUT GOD.
WHISPER
WHISPER
IS HE TRYING TO LURE US INTO SOME RELIGIOUS GROUP?
ONE DAY IS ALL I ASK! TREAT THEM LIKE YOU GODS! HEAR ME? GODS!

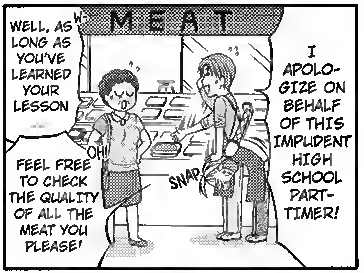

I WANTED TO BUY SOME OF THESE SNACKS ON SALE
THERE'S A DENT IN THIS CHICKEN
THERE. THAT OUGHT TO DO THE TRICK.

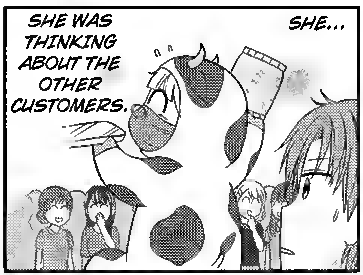

I HAVE TO MAKE IT UP TO HER.
THIS IS THE WORST. I REALLY WANT TO BE A PERMANENT EMPLOYEE!
SLAP
SLAP

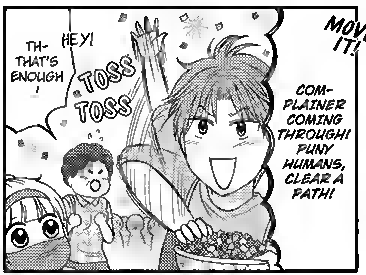

THP
THP
THP
OH NO! I FORGOT ABOUT THE OTHER CUSTOMERS!

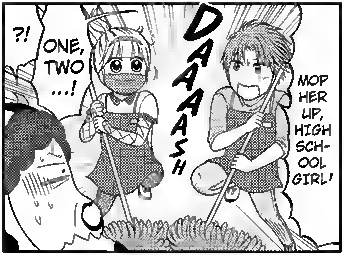
ARE
ARE YOU SURE?
MA'AM!
DON'T WORRY ABOUT THE PER CUSTOMER LIMIT. TAKE THEM ALL!
WUSH WUSH
ONE PER CUSTOMER

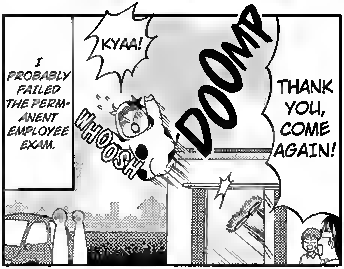

I GUESS I COULD BUY BEEF ONCE IN A WHILE
MOO
THEY'RE BETTER THAN THE OTHER ONES, TOO!
WHAT?
THESE OTHER SNACKS ARE ON SALE INSTEAD?

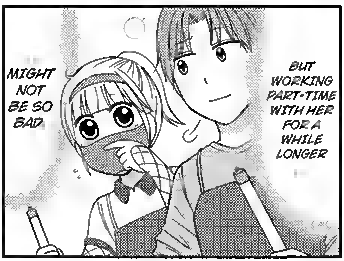

WELL, AS LONG AS YOU'VE LEARNED YOUR LESSON
MEAT
I APOLOGIZE ON BEHALF OF THIS IMPUDENT HIGH SCHOOL PART-TIMER!
OH!
FEEL FREE TO CHECK THE QUALITY OF ALL THE MEAT YOU PLEASE!
SNAP

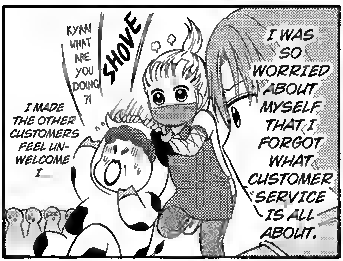

SHE WAS THINKING ABOUT THE OTHER CUSTOMERS.
SHE...

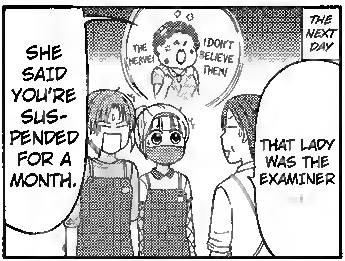

TH-THAT'S ENOUGH!
HEY!
TOSS
TOSS
MOVE IT!
COMPLAINER COMING THROUGH! PUNY HUMANS, CLEAR A PATH!

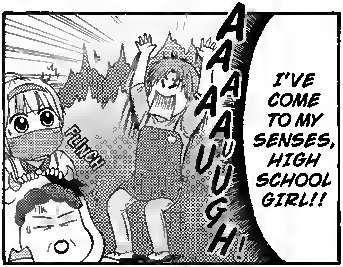







KYNN WHAT ARE YOU DOING?!
SHOVE
I MADE THE OTHER CUSTOMERS FEEL UNWELCOME I...
I WAS SO WORRIED ABOUT MYSELF THAT I FORGOT WHAT CUSTOMER SERVICE IS ALL ABOUT.





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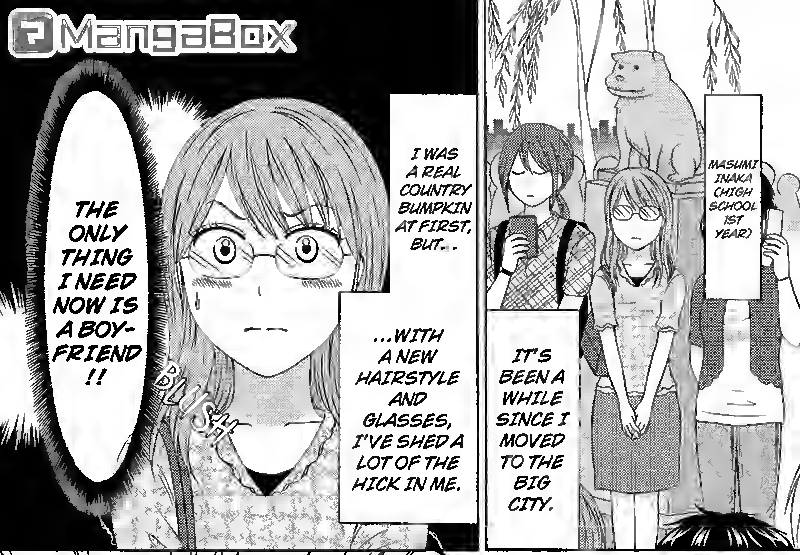
MASUMI INAKA (HIGH SCHOOL 1ST YEAR)
IT'S BEEN A WHILE SINCE I MOVED TO THE BIG CITY.
I WAS A REAL COUNTRY BUMPKIN AT FIRST, BUT...
...WITH A NEW HAIRSTYLE AND GLASSES, I'VE SHED A LOT OF THE HICK IN ME.
BLUSH
THE ONLY THING I NEED NOW IS A BOY-FRIEND !!

HIGH SCHOOL NINJA GIRL

OTONASHI-SAN

MASAMI WATABE

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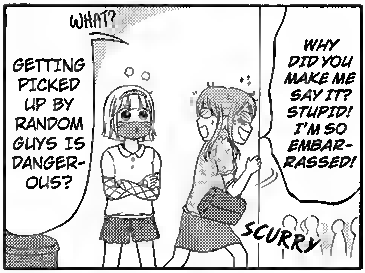
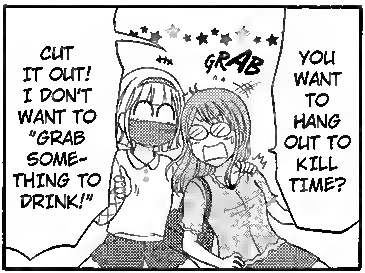
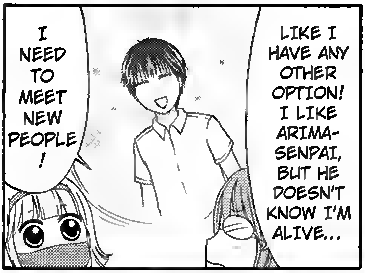
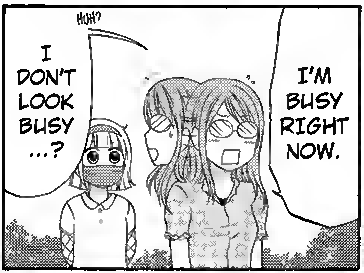
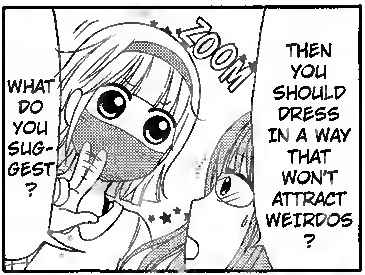
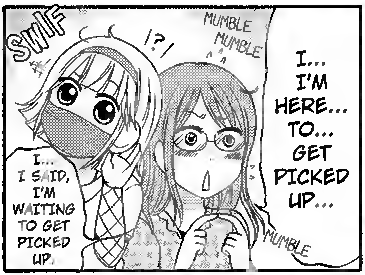


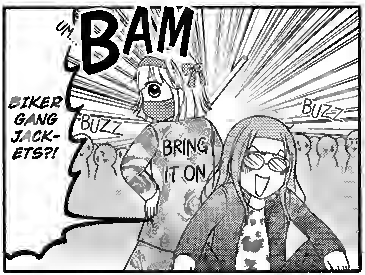




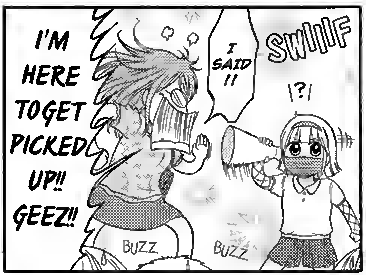








JAPANESE BIKER GANGS WEAR LONG JACKETS WITH SLOGANS EMBLAZONED ON THEM



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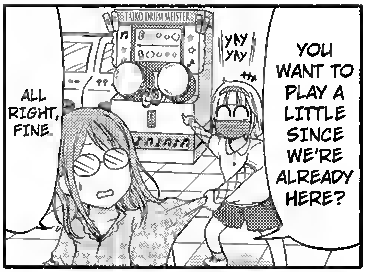
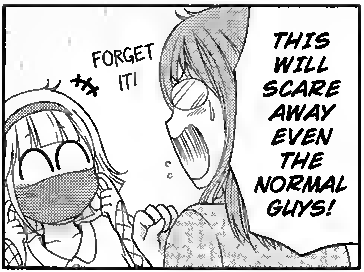
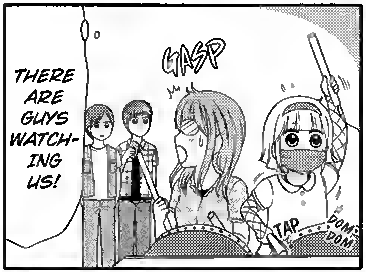
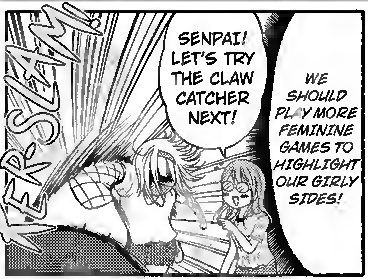
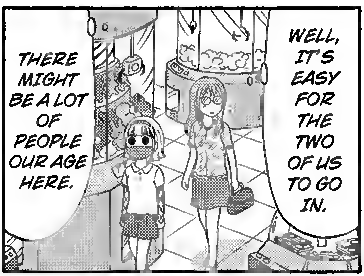

ALL RIGHT, FINE.
YAY YAY
YOU WANT TO PLAY A LITTLE SINCE WE'RE ALREADY HERE?


FORGET IT!
THIS WILL SCARE AWAY EVEN THE NORMAL GUYS!


THERE ARE GUYS WATCHING US!
GASP
TAP...
DOM DOM

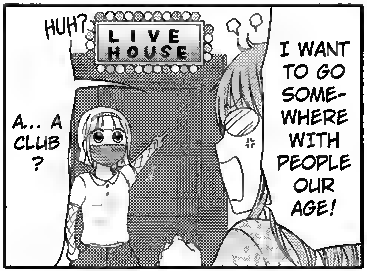
GAME
THAT'S A SURPRISINGLY OBVIOUS PLACE.
YOU THINK IT'LL BE EASY TO FIND GUYS AT AN ARCADE?

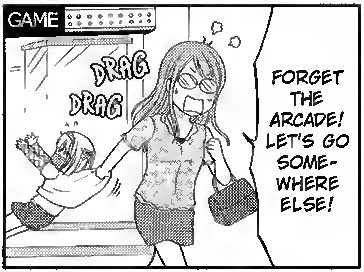

KIRSHAAA
SENPAI! LET'S TRY THE CLAW CATCHER NEXT!
WE SHOULD PLAY MORE FEMININE GAMES TO HIGHLIGHT OUR GIRLY SIDES!

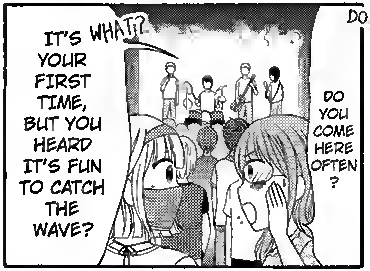

THERE MIGHT BE A LOT OF PEOPLE OUR AGE HERE.
WELL, IT'S EASY FOR THE TWO OF US TO GO IN.

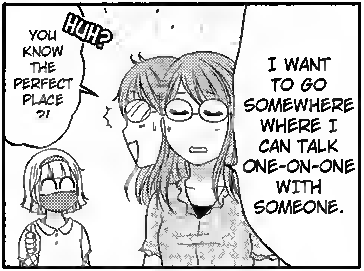
THIS IS THE LAST GAME WE SHOULD BE PLAYING ...!
503 KG
UNC
YAY YAY
YOU HIT OVER 500 KILOGRAMS ...?

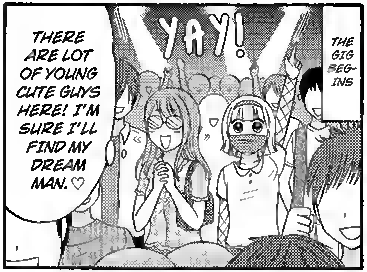
IT'S FULL OF HARDCORE GAME OTAKU.
GUUUIIIIN WIIIIN
TAP TAP SLAM
TWIRL
TA TA SLAM
KON
RAT TAT RAT TAT TAT

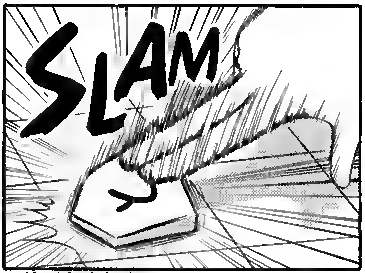




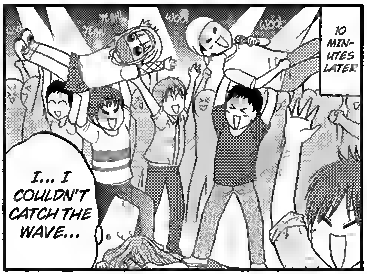


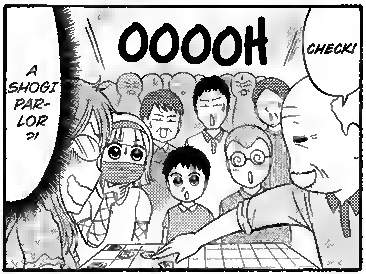


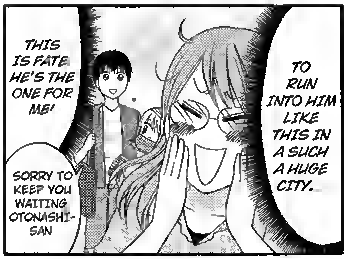


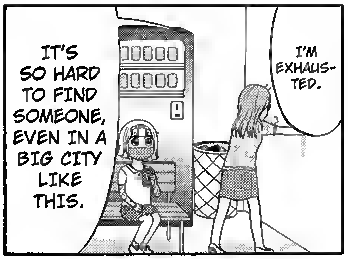


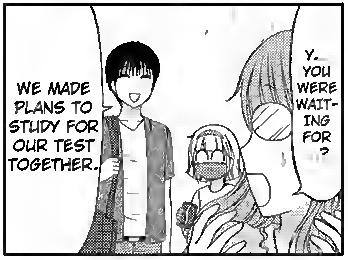
SHOGI = JAPANESE CHESS

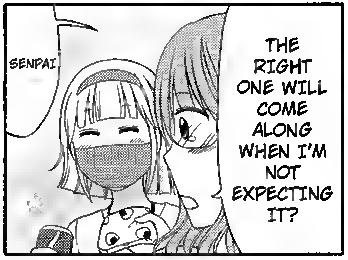


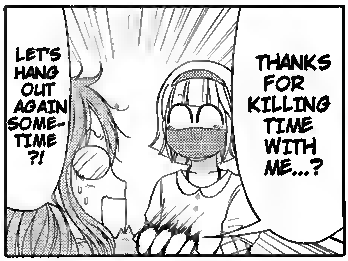


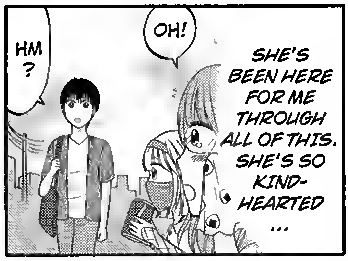


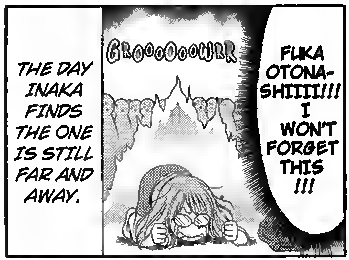











THE DAY INAKA FINDS THE ONE IS STILL FAR AND AWAY.
GROOOO